



TOP USC INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES

USC 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES (Since 1926)

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	ATT-YARDS
Ricky Bell	10- 9-1976	Washington St.	N18	51-347
Reggie Bush*	11-19-2005	Fresno State	Home	23-294
Marcus Allen	10-31-1981	Washington St.	Home	44-289
Marcus Allen	9-19-1981	Indiana	Away	40-274
Charles White	10-20-1979	Notre Dame	Away	44-261
Reggie Bush*	12- 3-2005	UCLA	Home	24-260
Ricky Bell	9-12-1975	Duke	Home	34-256
C. R. Roberts	9-22-1956	Texas	Away	12-251
Charles White	1- 1-1980	Ohio State	N5	39-247
Marcus Allen	11- 7-1981	California	Away	46-243
Charles White	11-10-1979	Washington	Away	38-243
O.J. Simpson	11-16-1968	Oregon State	Home	47-238
O.J. Simpson	9-21-1968	Minnesota	Away	39-236
O.J. Simpson	10-21-1967	Washington	Away	30-235
Shawn Walters	10-15-1994	Stanford	Away	31-234
Russ Saunders	9-28-1929	UCLA	Home	14-234
Ronald Jones II	10-27-2016	California	Home	18-223
Marcus Allen	10- 3-1981	Oregon State	Away	35-233
Allen Bradford	10-2-2010	Washington	Home	21-223
Charles White	10-13-1979	Stanford	Home	32-221
Cotton Warburton	10- 7-1933	Washington St.	Home	14-221
Chauncey Washington	11-10-2007	California	Away	29-220
O.J. Simpson	10-12-1968	Stanford	Away	47-220
Marcus Allen	11-21-1981	UCLA	Home	40-219
Ricky Bell	10-11-1975	Washington St.	Home	38-217
Ronald Jones II	10-28-2017	Arizona State	Away	18-216
Marcus Allen	11-15-1980	Washington	Home	30-216
Marcus Allen	9-27-1980	Minnesota	Away	42-216
Ricky Bell	9-19-1975	Oregon State	Home	28-215
Allen Bradford	12-4-2010	UCLA	Away	28-212
Marcus Allen	10-10-1981	Arizona	Home	26-211
Marcus Allen	9-12-1981	Tennessee	Home	22-210
Mike Garrett	11-20-1965	UCLA	Home	40-210
Marcus Allen	9-26-1981	Oklahoma	Home	39-208
Shawn Walters	9-24-1994	Baylor	Home	31-207
Anthony Davis	10-28-1972	Oregon	Away	25-206
Aca'Cedric Ware	11-3-2018	Oregon State	Away	17-205
Javorius Allen	10-11-2014	Arizona	Away	26-205
Charles White	11-25-1978	Notre Dame	Home	37-205
O.J. Simpson	11-23-1968	UCLA	Home	40-205
Mike Garrett	10-16-1965	Stanford	Home	31-205
Reggie Bush*	12-4-2004	UCLA	Away	15-204
Ryan Knight	11-15-1986	California	Home	36-204
Mazio Royster	10- 6-1990	Washington St.	Home	34-203
Morley Drury	10-29-1927	California	Home	42-203
Marcus Allen	10-11-1980	Arizona	Away	41-201
Charles White	11- 4-1978	Stanford	Away	38-201
Ricky Ervins	9-29-1990	Ohio State	Away	28-199
Charles White	9-23-1978	Alabama	N9	29-199
Charles White	10-27-1979	California	Away	44-198
Clarence Davis	10-11-1969	Stanford	Home	39-198
LenDale White	10- 1-2005	Arizona State	Away	19-197
Clarence Davis	11- 8-1969	Washington St.	Home	34-196
Marcus Allen	11- 8-1980	Stanford	Away	34-195
Ricky Bell	11- 8-1975	Stanford	Home	35-195
Anthony Davis	11-23-1974	UCLA	Home	31-195
Anthony Davis	11- 4-1972	Washington St.	N11	31-195
Ronald Jones II	11-4-2017	Arizona	Home	27-194
Charles White	11-24-1979	UCLA	Home	35-194
Anthony Davis	10-12-1974	Washington St.	N13	26-194
Ricky Bell	9-18-1976	Oregon	Away	32-193
Orv Mohler	10- 4-1930	Oregon State	Home	26-192
Ricky Bell	11-15-1975	Washington	Away	42-190
O.J. Simpson	9-30-1967	Michigan State	Away	31-190
O.J. Simpson	9-28-1968	Northwestern	Away	34-189
Charles White	9-17-1977	Oregon State	Away	38-188
O.J. Simpson	11-11-1967	Oregon State	Away	33-188
Sam Cunningham	10- 9-1971	Oregon	Home	23-187
Charles White	10-28-1978	California	Home	31-187
Charles White	12-31-1977	Texas A&M	N10	21-187
Estrus Crayton	11-16-1991	Arizona	Away	27-185
Charles White	9-29-1979	LSU	Away	31-185
Willie Brown	9-29-1961	SMU	Home	13-183
Morley Drury	12- 3-1927	Washington	Home	17-183
Mort Kaer	10-23-1926	California	Away	27-183
Steven Webster	10-17-1987	Washington	Away	40-182
Jon Arnett	10- 6-1956	Wisconsin	Away	25-182
Clarence Davis	10- 4-1969	Oregon State	Away	29-181
Ricky Ervins	9-16-1989	Utah State	Home	15-180
Mike Garrett	11-21-1964	UCLA	Home	28-180
LenDale White	10- 8-2005	Arizona	Home	24-179
Jon Arnett	10-16-1954	Oregon	N15	18-179
Bob Robertson	11-30-1940	UCLA	Home	33-179

Orv Mohler	9-27-1930	UCLA	Home	18-179
Anthony Davis	11-18-1972	UCLA	Home	26-178
Ronald Jones II	11-7-2015	Arizona	Home	19-177
Ricky Bell	9-25-1976	Purdue	Away	37-177
O.J. Simpson	11-18-1967	UCLA	Home	30-177
Manual Laraneta	10-16-1926	Occidental	Home	25-177
Sultan McCullough	10-12-2002	California	Home	39-176
Sultan McCullough	11-4-2000	Arizona State	Away	23-176**
Orv Mohler	10-10-1931	Washington St.	Home	18-176
Mazio Royster	11- 3-1990	California	Home	24-175
Mike Garrett	10- 9-1965	Washington	Away	31-175
Aca'Cedric Ware	9-29-2018	Arizona	Away	21-173
Ricky Ervins	11-18-1989	UCLA	Home	28-173
Charles White	9-16-1978	Oregon	Away	32-173
Ricky Bell	9-11-1976	Missouri	Home	29-172
O.J. Simpson	10-19-1968	Washington	Home	33-172
Mike Garrett	10- 2-1965	Oregon State	Home	31-172
Ronald Jones II	11-5-2016	Oregon	Home	20-171
Fred Crutcher	10- 6-1984	Washington St.	Away	37-171
O.J. Simpson	1- 1-1969	Ohio State	N5	28-171
Aramis Dandoy	9-19-1953	Washington St.	Away	19-169
Sultan McCullough	9-1-2001	San Jose State	Home	25-167
Charles White	11- 3-1979	Arizona	Home	32-167
Ricky Bell	11-20-1976	UCLA	Home	36-167
Ricky Bell	10-25-1975	Notre Dame	Away	40-165
Clarence Davis	9-27-1969	Northwestern	Home	21-165
Rod McNeill	11- 3-1973	California	Away	24-164
O.J. Simpson	11- 9-1968	California	Home	31-164
Mort Kaer	10-16-1926	Occidental	Home	12-164
Curtis McNeal	11-10-2012	Arizona State	Home	31-163
Ricky Bell	10- 4-1975	Iowa	Away	26-163
O.J. Simpson	10- 5-1968	Miami (Fla.)	Home	38-163
Curtis McNeal	11-17-2012	UCLA	Away	21-161
Marc Tyler	11-13-2010	Arizona	Away	31-161
Steven Webster	11-14-1987	Arizona	Home	34-161
Zeph Lee	9- 8-1984	Utah State	Home	11-161
Al Carmichael	10-28-1950	Oregon	Home	14-161
Reggie Bush*	10-15-2005	Notre Dame	Away	15-160
Leroy Holt	10-14-1989	California	Away	21-160
Anthony Davis	10-19-1974	Oregon	Away	38-160
O.J. Simpson	10- 7-1967	Stanford	Home	29-160
Ronald Jones II	9-2-2017	Western Michigan	Home	18-159
Marcus Allen	10-18-1980	Oregon	Away	35-159
Mike Garrett	11-15-1963	Oregon State	Home	26-159
Silas Redd	9-22-2012	California	Home	21-158
Reggie Bush*	10- 1-2005	Arizona State	Away	17-158
Delon Washington	11-11-1995	Oregon State	Away	28-158
Lou Harris	11- 6-1971	Washington St.	Home	29-158
O.J. Simpson	9-23-1967	Texas	Home	30-158
LenDale White	10-29-2005	Washington St.	Home	20-157
Mazio Royster	11-17-1990	UCLA	Away	31-157
Steven Webster	10-31-1987	Washington St.	Home	23-157
Anthony Davis	1- 1-1973	Ohio State	N5	23-157
Jerry Traynham	10-17-1959	Washington	Away	23-157
Jon Arnett	10-20-1956	Washington	Home	22-157
Charles White	9- 9-1978	Texas Tech	Home	30-156
Mike Garrett	11-13-1965	Pittsburgh	Home	26-156
Silas Redd	10-13-2012	Washington	N24	26-155
Marcus Allen	11-14-1981	Washington	Away	38-155
Charles White	9-10-1977	Missouri	Away	35-155
Javorius Allen	9-6-2014	Stanford	Away	23-154
Marc Tyler	9-2-2010	Hawaii	Away	17-154
LenDale White	12- 3-2005	UCLA	Home	14-154
Charles White	10-21-1978	Oregon State	Home	22-154
Charles White	10-29-1977	California	Away	32-154
Mike Garrett	9-25-1965	Wisconsin	Away	24-154
Chad Morton	10-2-1999	Oregon State	Home	27-153
Deon Strother	11- 2-1991	California	Away	17-153
Marcus Allen	10-17-1981	Stanford	Home	40-153
Charles White	9-22-1979	Minnesota	Home	10-153
Javorius Allen	12-27-2014	Nebraska	N25	26-152
Sultan McCullough	10-14-2000	Oregon	Home	23-152
Delon Washington	11-18-1995	UCLA	Home	30-152
Charles White	12- 2-1978	Hawai'i	Away	31-152
Dwight Ford	12-31-1977	Texas A&M	N10	13-152
C. R. Roberts	10-20-1956	Washington	Home	17-152
Jess Hill	9-28-1929	UCLA	Home	14-152
Tre Madden	9-7-2013	Washington St.	Home	32-151
Chad Morton	10-23-1999	Stanford	Home	22-151
Ricky Ervins	11-11-1989	Arizona	Away	21-151
Clarence Davis	9-26-1970	Iowa	Away	17-151
Gus Shaver	10-18-1930	Utah State	Home	16-151
O.J. Simpson	10-14-1967	Notre Dame	Away	38-150
Don Williams	11-19-1927	Washington St.	Home	20-150
Marc Tyler	9-24-2011	Arizona State	Away	22-149
LenDale White	11-1-2003	Washington St.	Home	12-149
Todd Spencer	10- 2-1982	Oregon	Home	29-149
Anthony Davis	9-28-1974	Pittsburgh	Away	33-149
Don Williams	10-13-1928	St. Mary's	Home	33-149
Curtis McNeal	11-12-2011	Washington	Home	18-148



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Mike Hull	11-19-1966	UCLA	Home	14-148	Russ Saunders	12-14-1929	Carnegie Tech	Home	24-126
Allen Bradford	10-24-2009	Oregon State	Home	15-147	Joe McKnight	1-1-2008	Illinois	N5	10-125
Ryan Knight	11-23-1985	UCLA	Home	32-147	Reggie Bush*	9-17-2005	Arkansas	Home	8-125
Marcus Allen	10-24-1981	Notre Dame	Away	33-147	Justin Fargas	11-16-2002	Arizona State	Home	26-125
Anthony Davis	11-16-1974	Washington	Home	29-147	Mazio Royster	12-31-1990	Michigan State	N3	32-125
Gus Shaver	11-7-1931	Stanford	Home	23-147	Mazio Royster	11-10-1990	Oregon State	Away	26-125
Fred Crutcher	11-3-1984	Stanford	Away	41-146	Clark Holden	10-24-1959	Stanford	Home	22-125
Mike Garrett	9-17-1965	Minnesota	Home	33-146	Ernie Zampese	12-1-1956	Notre Dame	Home	20-125
Javorius Allen	11-123-2013	Colorado	Away	21-145	Curtis McNeal	11-26-2011	UCLA	Home	12-124
Curtis McNeal	10-29-2011	Stanford	Home	20-145**	LenDale White	1-4-2006	Texas	N5	20-124
Joe McKnight	9-5-2009	San Jose State	Home	14-145	Reggie Bush*	9-18-2004	BYU	Away	14-124
Charles White	11-18-1978	UCLA	Home	33-145	Scott Lockwood	10-20-1990	Arizona	Home	16-124
Anthony Davis	11-24-1973	UCLA	Home	27-145	Ricky Ervins	10-14-1989	California	Away	31-124
Hal Tobin	10-15-1960	California	Home	17-145	Dwight Ford	11-5-1977	Stanford	Home	11-124
Stafon Johnson	9-15-2007	Nebraska	Away	11-144	Rod Connors	9-24-1977	TCU	Home	13-124
Delon Washington	11-4-1995	Stanford	Home	22-144	Pete Beathard	11-11-1961	Stanford	Home	9-124
Aaron Emanuel	10-4-1986	Oregon	Home	17-144	Justin Davis	10-1-2016	Arizona State	Home	14-123
Javorius Allen	10-4-2014	Arizona State	Home	29-143	Javorius Allen	11-30-2013	UCLA	Home	20-123
Joe McKnight	10-11-2008	Arizona State	Home	11-143	LenDale White	9-11-2004	Colorado State	Home	14-123
Chad Morton	11-20-1999	UCLA	Home	36-143	Chad Morton	9-19-1998	Oregon State	Home	23-123
Chad Morton	9-14-1996	Oregon State	Home	13-143	Fred Crutcher	9-18-1982	Indiana	Home	28-123
Anthony Davis	10-26-1974	Oregon State	Home	26-143	Sam Cunningham	10-2-1971	Oklahoma	Away	26-123
Willie Brown	11-17-1962	Navy	Home	8-143	Jon Arnett	1-1-1955	Ohio State	N5	9-123
Ronald Jones II	11-11-2017	Colorado	Away	25-142	Ronald Jones II	11-18-2017	UCLA	Home	28-122
Joe McKnight	11-14-2009	Stanford	Home	16-142	Aca'Cedric Ware	11-4-2017	Arizona	Home	14-122
Charles White	10-6-1979	Washington St.	Home	17-142	Justin Davis	9-28-2013	Arizona State	Away	10-122
Justin Davis	11-21-2015	Oregon	Away	16-141	Stafon Johnson	9-29-2007	Washington	Away	14-122
Ronald Jones II	12-1-2017	Stanford	N26	30-140	Reggie Bush*	9-24-2005	Oregon	Away	20-122
Silas Redd	11-1-2013	Oregon State	Away	22-140	Justin Fargas	1-2-2003	Iowa	N20	20-122
LenDale White	10-4-2003	Arizona State	Away	21-140	Sultan McCullough	10-28-2000	California	Home	15-122
Estrus Crayton	11-21-1992	UCLA	Away	28-140	LaVale Woods	9-14-1996	Oregon State	Home	12-122
Morley Drury	10-15-1927	Stanford	Away	39-140	Deon Strother	10-12-1991	Washington St.	Away	22-122
Justin Fargas	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	27-139	Aaron Emanuel	10-19-1985	Stanford	Home	21-122
Frank Gifford	11-3-1951	Army	N17	26-138	Ryan Knight	10-27-1984	California	Home	22-122
Orv Mohler	10-18-1930	Utah State	Home	17-138	Anthony Davis	11-17-1973	Washington	Away	26-122
Don Burnside (Doll)	11-4-1944	San Diego Navy	Home	16-137	Mike Garrett	10-31-1964	Washington	Home	26-122
Gus Shaver	10-10-1932	Washington St.	Home	27-137	Grenny Lansdell	10-28-1939	California	Away	22-122
Sultan McCullough	9-23-2000	San Jose State	Home	21-136	Cotton Warburton	11-12-1932	Oregon	Home	20-122
Charles White	11-6-1976	Stanford	Away	23-136	Marshall Duffield	10-19-1929	Occidental	Home	9-122
Ricky Bell	11-28-1975	UCLA	Away	36-136	Russ Saunders	11-24-1928	Idaho	Home	27-122
Blanchard Beatty	11-1-1930	Denver	Home	31-136	Ronald Jones II	11-19-2016	UCLA	Away	18-121
Javorius Allen	11-9-2013	California	Away	6-135	Broderick Green	10-18-2008	Washington St.	Away	18-121
Delon Washington	10-7-1995	California	Away	29-135	Aaron Emanuel	9-10-1988	Stanford	Away	17-121
Ricky Ervins	10-1-1988	Arizona	Away	26-135	Ricky Bell	11-1-1975	California	Away	27-121
Ryan Knight	11-16-1985	Washington	Away	44-135	Mike Garrett	10-10-1964	Texas A&M	Home	24-121
Fred Crutcher	10-13-1994	Oregon	Away	24-135	Bob Robertson	12-7-1940	Notre Dame	Home	26-121
Charles White	11-22-1977	Notre Dame	Away	25-135	Tre Madden	10-8-2015	Washington	Home	17-120
Sam Cunningham	9-12-1970	Alabama	Away	12-135	Justin Fargas	11-30-2002	Notre Dame	Home	20-120
Frank Gifford	10-20-1951	California	Away	18-135	Chad Morton	11-21-1998	UCLA	Away	19-120
Ronald Jones II	11-26-2016	Notre Dame	Home	16-134	Michael Harper	11-19-1983	UCLA	Home	27-120
Ben Wilson	10-28-1961	Illinois	Home	20-134	Anthony Gibson	10-16-1982	Stanford	Away	19-120
Jon Arnett	10-14-1955	Wisconsin	Home	13-134	Charles White	10-2-1976	Iowa	Home	15-120
George Callanan	11-18-1944	California	Away	14-134	Ted Tannehill	10-27-1945	Washington	Away	22-120
Javorius Allen	8-30-2014	Fresno State	Home	22-133	Stephen Carr	9-9-2017	Stanford	Home	11-119
Javorius Allen	11-1-2013	Oregon State	Away	16-133	Marc Tyler	11-6-2010	Arizona State	Home	12-119
Scott Lockwood	10-15-1988	Washington	Away	27-133	Joe McKnight	10-3-2009	California	Away	20-119
Marcus Allen	11-1-1980	California	Home	29-133	Chauncey Washington	11-11-2006	Oregon	Home	15-119
Lynn Cain	10-28-1978	California	Home	13-133	Steven Webster	9-19-1987	Boston College	Home	24-119
Amby Schindler	10-16-1937	Oregon	Home	16-133	Ricky Bell	10-2-1976	Iowa	Home	28-119
Al Maloney	11-1-1930	Denver	Home	24-133	Anthony Davis	11-9-1974	Stanford	Away	22-119
Sultan McCullough	10-6-2001	Washington	Away	32-132	Anthony Davis	11-2-1974	California	Home	39-119
Mazio Royster	9-28-1991	Oregon	Away	29-132	Allen Carter	11-2-1974	California	Home	20-119
Ricky Ervins	9-30-1989	Washington St.	Away	22-132	Mike Garrett	11-30-1963	UCLA	Home	12-119
Steven Webster	10-3-1987	Oregon State	Home	26-132	Marshall Duffield	10-25-1930	Stanford	Away	17-119
Marcus Allen	10-4-1980	Arizona State	Home	36-132	Curtis McNeal	10-22-2011	Notre Dame	Away	24-118
Marcus Allen	9-13-1980	Tennessee	Away	39-132	LenDale White	1-4-2005	Oklahoma	N20	15-118
Clarence Davis	11-1-1969	California	Away	34-132	LenDale White	11-13-2003	Arizona	Home	16-118
Inky Wotkins	11-17-1934	Oregon	Home	22-132	Petros Papadakis	10-10-1998	California	Home	13-118
Allen Bradford	9-18-2010	Minnesota	Away	12-131	Delon Washington	9-30-1995	Arizona State	Home	25-118
Clarence Davis	10-17-1970	Washington	Home	34-131	Dwight Ford	9-30-1977	Washington St.	Home	13-118
Russ Saunders	11-30-1929	Washington St.	Home	30-131	Lou Harris	11-20-1971	UCLA	Home	29-118
Aca'Cedric Ware	10-27-2016	California	Home	20-130	Clarence Davis	11-7-1970	Washington St.	N13	9-118
Justin Davis	11-28-2015	UCLA	Home	25-130	Morley Drury	10-2-1926	Santa Clara	Home	21-118
Emmanuel Moody	9-23-2006	Arizona	Away	21-130	Chad Morton	11-13-1999	Washington St.	Away	29-117
Sultan McCullough	10-21-2000	Stanford	Away	11-130	Ricky Ervins	9-23-1989	Ohio State	Home	21-117
Delon Washington	10-25-1997	Oregon	Home	25-130	Dwight Ford	9-24-1977	TCU	Home	9-117
Manual Laraneta	10-23-1926	California	Away	26-130	Rod McNeill	9-9-1972	Arkansas	N14	28-117
LaVale Woods	9-27-1997	California	Away	32-129	Jon Arnett	10-27-1956	Stanford	Away	25-117
Frank Gifford	9-29-1951	San Diego Navy	Home	20-129	Grenny Lansdell	11-13-1937	Oregon State	Home	19-117
Ray Sparling	12-12-1931	Georgia	Home	6-129	Ronald Jones II	9-9-2017	Stanford	Home	23-116
Ronald Jones II	9-29-2017	Washington St.	Away	14-128	LenDale White	11-6-2004	Oregon State	Away	25-116
Javorius Allen	10-18-2014	Colorado	Home	15-128	Shawn Walters	11-13-1993	Washington	Away	25-116
Tre Madden	9-28-2013	Arizona State	Away	20-128	Fred Crutcher	11-10-1984	Washington	Home	35-116
Sultan McCullough	8-27-2000	Penn State	N4	29-128	Lou Harris	9-10-1971	Alabama	Home	16-116
Chad Morton	11-28-1998	Notre Dame	Home	27-128	Clarence Davis	9-19-1970	Nebraska	Home	27-116
Lynn Cain	11-11-1978	Washington	Home	25-128	Don McCall	10-8-1966	Washington	Home	25-116
Charles White	9-30-1977	Washington St.	Home	27-128	Jon Arnett	10-22-1956	California	Away	20-116
Ricky Bell	10-18-1975	Oregon	Home	26-128	Jim Sears	11-18-1950	Washington	Home	8-116
O.J. Simpson	1-1-1968	Indiana	N5	25-128	Javorius Allen	9-27-2014	Oregon State	Home	20-115
Mike Garrett	9-18-1964	Colorado	Home	24-127	Curtis McNeal	9-22-2012	California	Home	10-115
Justin Davis	9-23-2016	Utah	Away	10-126	Stafon Johnson	11-15-2008	Stanford	Away	14-115
Estrus Crayton	11-23-1991	UCLA	Home	21-126	Rod McNeill	11-17-1973	Washington	Away	20-115
Ricky Ervins	1-1-1990	Michigan	N5	30-126	Gus Shaver	12-12-1931	Georgia	Home	14-115
Mike Harper	9-15-1979	Oregon State	Away	20-126	Javorius Allen	11-1-2014	Washington St.	Away	19-114
Charles White	11-5-1977	Stanford	Home	16-126	Mazio Royster	10-12-1991	Washington St.	Away	23-114
Lou Harris	11-13-1971	Washington	Away	24-126	Charles White	1-1-1977	Michigan	N5	32-114



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Don Burnside (Doll)	1- 1-1945	Tennessee	N5	13-114	Don Buford	11-22-1958	UCLA	Home	14-101
Gus Shaver	10-17-1931	Oregon	Home	21-114	Grenny Lansdell	12- 9-1939	UCLA	Home	15-101
Mort Kaer	11-11-1926	Oregon State	N15	31-114	Grenny Lansdell	11-25-1939	Notre Dame	Away	24-101
Marc Tyler	9-10-2011	Utah	Home	24-113	Amby Schindler	10- 9-1937	Ohio State	Home	28-101
Reggie Bush*	11- 5-2005	Stanford	Home	12-113	David Davis	10-10-1936	Illinois	Away	26-101
Aaron Emanuel	11-19-1988	UCLA	Away	27-113	David Davis	12- 7-1935	Washington	Home	26-101
Rod McNeill	11- 7-1970	Washington St.	N13	11-113	Homer Griffith	10-14-1933	St. Mary's	Home	20-101
Mickey McCardle	11- 7-1942	California	Home	12-113	Erny Pinckert	11- 8-1930	California	Home	7-101
Grenny Lansdell	10- 7-1939	Washington St.	Home	15-113	Everett Brown	11-10-1928	Arizona	Home	15-101
Howard Elliott	10-16-1926	Occidental	Home	12-113	Aca'Cedric Ware	9-1-2018	UNLV	Home	10-100
Mort Kaer	10- 9-1926	Washington St.	Home	30-113	Joe McKnight	9-19-2009	Washington	Away	11-100
Silas Redd	10-19-2013	Notre Dame	Away	19-112	Ricky Ervins	10-28-1989	Stanford	Home	27-100
Stafon Johnson	10-18-2008	Washington St.	Away	11-112	Ryan Knight	11-17-1984	UCLA	Away	25-100
Mazio Royster	10-13-1990	Stanford	Away	22-112	Michael Harper	10-29-1983	California	Away	27-100
Mike Garrett	11-27-1965	Wyoming	Home	24-112	Grenny Lansdell	11-11-1939	Stanford	Home	14-100
Gordon Duvall	11-13-1954	Washington	Home	4-112	Cotton Warburton	11-25-1933	Notre Dame	Away	19-100
Al Carmichael	11-10-1951	Stanford	Home	6-112	Gus Shaver	11-23-1929	Idaho	Home	12-100
Ted Tannehill	11-24-1945	Oregon State	Home	10-112	Morley Drury	9-24-1927	Occidental	Home	22-100
Don Moses	12- 3-1927	Washington	Home	23-112	**-Two overtimes				
Ronald Jones II	10-14-2017	Utah	Home	17-111	N3-Sun Bowl, El Paso, Texas				
LenDale White	9-24-2005	Oregon	Away	15-111	N4-Giants Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey				
Fred Crutcher	9-17-1983	Oregon State	Away	17-111	N5-Rose Bowl, Pasadena, California				
Rod McNeill	9-16-1972	Oregon State	Home	18-111	N9-Legion Field, Birmingham, Alabama				
Rod Sherman	10- 1-1966	Oregon State	N15	8-111	N10-Astrodome, Houston, Texas				
Willie Brown	10-27-1962	Illinois	Away	12-111	N11-Husky Stadium, Seattle, Washington				
Nick Pappas	10-17-1936	Washington St.	Home	24-111	N13-Joe Albi Stadium, Spokane, Washington				
Don Williams	9-29-1928	Utah State	Home	14-111	N14-War Memorial Stadium, Little Rock, Arkansas				
Reggie Bush*	10- 8-2005	Arizona	Home	14-110	N15-Multnomah Stadium, Portland, Oregon				
LenDale White	9-18-2004	BYU	Away	17-110	N16-Soldier Field, Chicago, Illinois				
Sultan McCullough	2-14-2002	Colorado	Away	15-110	N17-Yankee Stadium, New York City, New York				
Chad Morton	10-31-1998	Washington	Home	13-110	N18-Kingdome, Seattle, Washington				
Chad Morton	9-12-1998	San Diego State	Home	23-110	N19-Sam Boyd Stadium, Las Vegas, Nevada				
Ricky Ervins	11- 4-1989	Oregon State	Home	20-110	N20-Pro Player Stadium, Miami, Florida				
Bob Levingston	11- 7-1959	West Virginia	Home	8-110	N23-MetLife Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey				
Amby Schindler	11- 6-1937	Stanford	Home	23-110	N24-CenturyLink Field, Seattle, Washington				
Homer Griffith	12- 2-1933	Georgia	Home	16-110	N25-Qualcomm Stadium, San Diego, California				
Orv Mohler	12- 5-1931	Washington	Home	13-110	N26-Levi's Stadium, Santa Clara, California				
Erny Pinckert	11-14-1931	Montana	Home	3-110	*-Participation later vacated due to NCAA penalty				
Jess Hill	10-12-1929	Washington	Away	9-110					
Gus Shaver	10-19-1929	Occidental	Home	11-110					
Marshall Duffield	11-10-1928	Arizona	Home	18-110					
Tre Madden	8-29-2013	Hawaii	Away	18-109					
C.J. Gable	10-18-2008	Washington St.	Away	16-109					
Chad Morton	11-8-1997	Stanford	Home	7-109					
Delon Washington	9- 3-1994	Washington	Home	10-109					
Steven Webster	9-26-1987	California	Away	25-109					
David Davis	10- 3-1936	Oregon	Home	22-109					
C.J. Gable	11- 1-2008	Washington	Home	10-108					
Chauncey Washington	10-14-2006	Arizona State	Home	22-108					
LenDale White	10-11-2003	Stanford	Home	23-108					
Steve Grady	10-28-1967	Oregon	Home	18-108					
Eddie Saenz	9-25-1943	UCLA	Home	8-108					
Vincent Porter	12- 5-1942	Montana	Home	5-108					
Orv Mohler	10- 8-1932	Oregon State	Home	15-108					
Silas Redd	9- 8-2012	Syracuse	N23	15-107					
C.J. Gable	11-25-2006	Notre Dame	Home	20-107					
Marcus Allen	9-20-1980	South Carolina	Home	31-107					
Charles White	10-23-1976	Oregon State	Home	18-107					
Ted Tannehill	12- 1-1945	UCLA	Home	10-107					
Morley Drury	10- 1-1927	Santa Clara	Home	13-107					
Chauncey Washington	9-29-2007	Washington	Away	21-106					
Fred Crutcher	10- 8-1983	Washington St.	Home	25-106					
Anthony Davis	10- 6-1973	Oregon State	Away	36-106					
Anthony Davis	11- 3-1973	California	Away	26-106					
Gus Shaver	11- 9-1929	Nevada	Home	26-106					
Joe McKnight	9-13-2008	Ohio State	Home	12-105					
Sultan McCullough	11-18-2000	UCLA	Away	26-105					
Estrus Crayton	10- 3-1992	Washington	Away	25-105					
Fred Crutcher	10-19-1985	Stanford	Home	22-105					
Marcus Allen	9- 8-1979	Texas Tech	Away	20-105					
Bob Morris	11-25-1944	UCLA	Home	12-105					
Harold Hammack	10-19-1929	Occidental	Home	5-105					
Javorius Allen	12-21-2013	Fresno State	N19	27-104					
Stafon Johnson	1-1-2008	Illinois	N5	9-104					
Chad Morton	10-24-1998	Oregon	Away	20-104					
Malaeofu MacKenzie	10-4-1997	UNLV	Home	19-104					
Don McCall	9-24-1966	Wisconsin	Home	18-104					
Bob Robertson	11- 9-1940	California	Home	24-104					
Marshall Duffield	10-26-1929	Stanford	Away	25-104					
Don Williams	10- 6-1928	Oregon State	Home	23-104					
Aca'Cedric Ware	11-10-2018	California	Home	16-103					
Aca'Cedric Ware	10-15-2016	Arizona	Away	12-103					
Steve Grady	11- 4-1967	California	Away	31-103					
Aramis Dandoy	10-30-1954	Oregon State	Home	14-103					
Gordon Gray	9-30-1944	Pacific	Home	12-103					
Tre Madden	9-5-2015	Arkansas State	Home	12-102					
Tre Madden	9-14-2013	Boston College	Home	16-102					
Scott Lockwood	10- 6-1990	Washington St.	Home	20-102					
Leroy Holt	10-29-1988	Oregon State	Away	14-102					
Anthony Davis	10-13-1973	Washington St.	Home	21-102					
C. R. Roberts	11-24-1956	UCLA	Home	23-102					
Morley Drury	11-26-1927	Notre Dame	N16	29-102					
Vavae Malepeai	11-3-2018	Oregon State	Away	15-101					
Javorius Allen	10-25-2014	Utah	Away	27-101					
Charles White	11-12-1977	Washington	Away	22-101					
Mosi Tatupu	11- 5-1977	Stanford	Home	13-101					

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PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	ATT-YARDS
Mort Kaer	10-23-1926	California	Away	27-183
Morley Drury	10-29-1927	California	Home	42-203
Russ Saunders	9-28-1929	UCLA	Home	14-234
C. R. Roberts	9-22-1956	Texas	Away	12-251
Ricky Bell	9-12-1975	Duke	Home	34-256
Ricky Bell	10- 9-1976	Washington St.	N18	51-347
N18-Kingdome, Seattle, Washington				

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– 31 –	Charles White	– 3 –	Cotton Warburton
– 21 –	Marcus Allen		David Davis
– 17 –	O.J. Simpson		Amby Schindler
Anthony Davis			Bob Robertson
– 16 –	Ricky Bell		Ted Tannehill
– 14 –	Mike Garrett		Frank Gifford
LenDale White			C.R. Roberts
Ronald Jones II			Willie Brown
– 12 –	Chad Morton		Sam Cunningham
– 11 –	Ricky Ervins		Michael Harper
Sultan McCullough			Scott Lockwood
– 10 –	Reggie Bush*		Shawn Walters
– 9 –	Clarence Davis		C.J. Gable
Javorius Allen		– 2 –	Manuel Laraneta
– 8 –	Gus Shaver		Jess Hill
Fred Crutcher			Erny Pinckert
Mazio Royster			Homer Griffith
– 7 –	Jon Arnett		Don Burnside (Doll)
Morley Drury			Al Carmichael
Delon Washington			Aramis Dandoy
Joe McKnight			Don McCall
Curtis McNeal			Steve Grady
Aca'Cedric Ware			Lynn Cain
– 6 –	Orv Mohler		Leroy Holt
Grenny Lansdell			Deon Strother
Steven Webster			LaVale Woods
Tre Madden		– 1 –	Howard Elliott
– 5 –	Ryan Knight		Don Moses
Rod McNeill			Everett Brown
Stafon Johnson			Harold Hammack
Marc Tyler			Blanchard Beatty
Silas Redd			Albert Maloney
Justin Davis			Ray Sparling
– 4 –	Mort Kaer		Inky Wotkins
Don Williams			Nick Pappas
Russ Saunders			Mickey McCardle
Marshall Duffield			Vincent Porter
Lou Harris			Eddie Saenz
Dwight Ford			Gordon Gray
Aaron Emanuel			George Callanan
Estrus Crayton			Bob Morris
Justin Fargas			Jim Sears
Chauncey Washington			Gordon Duvall
Allen Bradford			Ernie Zampese
			Don Buford
			Jerry Traynham
			Clark Holden
			Bob Levingston
			Hal Tobin
			Ben Wilson
			Pete Beathard
			Rod Sherman
			Mike Hull
			Allen Carter
			Rod Connors
			Mosi Tatupu
			Todd Spencer
			Anthony Gibson
			Zeph Lee
			Malaefou MacKenzie
			Petros Papadakis
			Emmanuel Moody
			Broderick Green
			Stephen Carr
			Vavae Malepeai

200-YARD PASSING GAMES

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PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	C- A	YDS	TD
Matt Barkley	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	31-49	493	3
Matt Barkley	11-3-2012	Oregon	Home	35-54	484	5
Matt Barkley	10-1-2011	Arizona	Home	32-39	468	4
Sam Darnold	1-2-2017	Penn State	N5	33-50	453	5
Carson Palmer	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	31-42	448	5
Carson Palmer	11-30-2002	Notre Dame	Home	32-46	425	4
Matt Barkley	11-26-2011	UCLA	Home	35-42	423	6
M. Van Raaphorst	10-23-1999	Stanford	Home	25-51	415	3
Mark Sanchez	1- 1- 2009	Penn State	N5	28-35	413	4
Carson Palmer	9-22-2001	Oregon	Away	25-40	411	2
Cody Kessler	9-12-2015	Idaho	Home	26-31	410	3
John David Booty	10-28-2006	Oregon State	Away	24-39	406	3
Cody Kessler	11-1-2014	Washington St.	Away	21-32	400	5
Matt Leinart	11-27-2004	Notre Dame	Home	24-34	400	5
Sam Darnold	9-15-2017	Texas	Home	28-49	397	3*
Cody Kessler	8-30-2014	Fresno State	Home	25-37	394	4
Rob Johnson	11-25-1993	Washington St.	Home	21-26	392	3
John David Booty	1-1-2007	Michigan	N5	27-45	391	4
Brad Otton	1- 1-1996	Northwestern	N5	29-44	391	2
Matt Barkley	10-9-2010	Stanford	Away	28-45	390	3
Rob Johnson	11-12-1994	Arizona	Home	25-35	390	3
Matt Leinart	9-17-2005	Arkansas	Home	18-24	381	4
Carson Palmer	10-5-2002	Washington St.	Away	32-50	381	2+
Matt Barkley	10-17-2009	Notre Dame	Away	19-29	380	2
Paul McDonald	11- 3-1979	Arizona	Home	25-35	380	3
Cody Kessler	9-26-2015	Arizona State	Away	19-33	375	5
John David Booty	11-22-2007	Arizona State	Away	26-39	375	4
Cody Kessler	11-29-2014	Notre Dame	Home	32-40	372	6
Matt Barkley	9-1-2012	Hawaii	Home	23-38	372	4
Cody Kessler	11-13-2014	California	Home	31-42	371	4
Craig Fertig	10-24-1964	California	Home	21-28	371	4
Rob Johnson	10-30-1993	California	Away	32-39	369	2
Cody Kessler	10-17-2015	Notre Dame	Away	30-46	365	2
Matt Leinart	1- 4- 2006	Texas	N5	29-40	365	1
John David Booty	10-6-2007	Stanford	Home	24-40	364	2
Matt Leinart	10-29-2005	Washington St.	Home	24-34	364	3
Rob Johnson	9-24-1994	Baylor	Home	27-39	364	1
Rodney Peete	11-12-1988	Arizona State	Away	23-33	361	3
Matt Leinart	10- 8-2005	Arizona	Home	26-40	360	2
Sam Darnold	10-14-2017	Utah	Home	27-50	358	3
Sam Darnold	10-8-2016	Colorado	Home	25-37	358	3
Sam Darnold	12-29-2017	Ohio State	N27	26-45	356	0
John Fox	10-4-1997	UNLV	Home	23-32	355	2
Sam Darnold	10-1-2016	Arizona State	Home	23-33	352	3
Matt Barkley	10-16-2010	California	Home	25-37	352	5
Matt Leinart	10-25-2003	Washington	Away	19-29	351	4
Matt Leinart	10-18-2003	Notre Dame	Away	26-34	351	4
Matt Barkley	12-26-2009	Boston College	N22	27-37	350	2
Carson Palmer	11-18-2000	UCLA	Away	26-37	350	4
JT Daniels	11-24-2018	Notre Dame	Home	37-51	349	1
Rob Johnson	11- 6-1993	Stanford	Home	22-35	349	3
Carson Palmer	10-19-2002	Washington	Home	21-34	348	4
Cody Kessler	12-21-2013	Fresno State	N19	22-30	345	4
Rob Johnson	12-30-1993	Utah	N2	30-44	345	3
Mark Sanchez	8-30-2008	Virginia	Away	26-35	338	3
Carson Palmer	9-23-2000	San Jose State	Home	22-38	338	2
Todd Marinovich	10-13-1990	Stanford	Away	17-30	338	3
JT Daniels	11-17-2018	UCLA	Away	20-34	337	2
Todd Marinovich	8-31-1990	Syracuse	N4	25-35	337	3
Todd Marinovich	10-21-1989	Notre Dame	Away	33-55	333	3
Mark Sanchez	10- 4-2008	Oregon	Home	19-28	332	3
Matt Leinart	9- 3-2005	Hawaii	Away	18-24	332	3
Matt Leinart	1-4-2005	Oklahoma	N20	18-35	332	5
Sam Darnold	11-11-2017	Colorado	Away	21-34	329	2
Matt Leinart	1-1-2004	Michigan	N5	23-34	327	3
Rob Johnson	11- 5-1994	Washington St.	Away	20-31	327	3
Sam Darnold	12-1-2017	Stanford	N26	17-24	325	2
Matt Barkley	9-17-2011	Syracuse	Home	26-39	324	5
Matt Barkley	11-19-2011	Oregon	Away	26-34	323	4
JT Daniels	9-15-2018	Texas	Away	30-48	322	0
Cody Kessler	12-27-2014	Nebraska	N25	23-39	321	3
Carson Palmer	10-7-2000	Arizona	Home	26-50	321	1
Troy Winslow	11-27-1965	Wisconsin	Home	15-21	320	4
Cody Kessler	10-18-2014	Colorado	Home	19-26	319	7
Matt Barkley	11-4-2011	Colorado	Away	25-39	318	6
Cody Kessler	9-13-2014	Boston College	Away	31-41	317	4
Carson Palmer	11-9-2002	Stanford	Away	22-32	317	4
Sam Darnold	10-7-2017	Oregon State	Home	23-35	316	3
Sam Darnold	9-9-2017	Stanford	Home	21-26	316	4
Matt Leinart	9-24-2005	Oregon	Away	23-39	315	3
Sam Darnold	11-4-17	Arizona	Home	20-26	311	2
Paul McDonald	10-20-1979	Notre Dame	Away	21-32	311	2
Sam Darnold	11-5-2016	Oregon	Home	28-40	309	2
Rob Johnson	10- 9-1993	Oregon	Away	28-36	307	3
Rodney Peete	11- 5-1988	California	Home	22-29	305	3
Matt Barkley	9-3-2011	Hawaii	Home	34-45	304	3
Rodney Peete	11-21-1987	UCLA	Home	23-35	304	2
Jimmy Jones	10- 3-1970	Oregon State	Home	15-21	304	3
Matt Barkley	10-4-2012	Utah	Away	23-30	303	3
Carson Palmer	1-2-2003	Iowa	N20	21-31	303	1



Todd Marinovich	10-28-1989	Stanford	Home	22-32	303	0
Carson Palmer	9-2-2002	Auburn	Home	23-32	302	1
Rob Johnson	11-28-1992	Notre Dame	Home	27-41	302	1
Matt Barkley	11-17-2012	UCLA	Away	20-38	301	3
Matt Leinart	10-15-2005	Notre Dame	Away	17-32	301	0
Brad Otton	9-7-1996	Illinois	Away	12-18	301	2
Matt Barkley	10-20-2012	Colorado	Home	19-20	298	6
M. Van Raaphorst	10-16-1999	Notre Dame	Away	23-41	298	2
Cody Kessler	10-10-2013	Arizona	Home	15-30	297	2
Matt Leinart	11-15-2003	Arizona	Away	22-30	296	4
Cody Kessler	9-28-2013	Arizona State	Away	20-29	295	2
Carson Palmer	10-13-2001	Arizona State	Home	18-26	295	3
Jim Powers	10-29-1949	Washington	Away	19-26	293	3
M. Van Raaphorst	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	23-41	291	2
Rob Johnson	9-11-1993	Penn State	Away	25-43	291	2
Todd Marinovich	11-3-1990	California	Home	19-29	291	2
Matt Barkley	9-25-2010	Washington St.	Away	16-25	290	3
Brad Otton	9-21-1996	Houston	Away	24-37	290	2
Jim Powers	11-5-1949	Stanford	Home	19-32	290	2
Sam Darnold	9-2-2017	Western Michigan	Home	23-33	289	0
John David Booty	9-22-2007	Washington St.	Home	29-36	289	4
Matt Leinart	11-22-2003	UCLA	Home	23-32	289	2
Matt Leinart	10-4-2003	Arizona State	Away	13-23	289	2
Carson Palmer	10-12-2002	California	Home	25-39	289	2
Rob Johnson	1-2-1995	Texas Tech	N1	16-21	289	3
Cody Kessler	11-16-2013	Stanford	Home	25-37	288	1
Sam Darnold	11-12-2016	Washington	Away	23-33	287	2
Matt Barkley	10-29-2011	Stanford	Home	28-45	284	3**
Matt Leinart	9-25-2004	Stanford	Away	23-30	284	1
Todd Marinovich	10-7-1989	Washington	Home	23-35	284	1
JT Daniels	10-13-2018	Colorado	Home	18-35	283	3
Matt Barkley	10-3-2009	California	Away	20-35	283	0
JT Daniels	9-1-2018	UNLV	Home	21-35	282	1
Carson Palmer	9-30-2000	Oregon State	Away	19-38	282	2
Paul McDonald	11-25-1978	Notre Dame	Home	17-29	281	2
Matt Leinart	11-13-2004	Arizona	Home	27-35	280	3
Carson Palmer	12-31-1998	TCU	N3	17-28	280	1
Carson Palmer	11-4-2000	Arizona State	Away	22-37	279	2*
Carson Palmer	10-31-1998	Washington	Home	18-31	279	1
Rob Johnson	9-4-1993	Houston	Home	25-33	279	4
Rodney Peete	10-10-1987	Oregon	Away	21-39	279	3
Matt Leinart	12-6-2003	Oregon State	Home	22-38	278	5
Rob Johnson	9-5-1992	San Diego St.	Away	20-33	278	4
Mark Sanchez	10-27-2007	Oregon	Away	26-41	277	2
Matt Leinart	9-27-2003	California	Away	21-39	277	2**
Brad Otton	11-9-1996	Stanford	Away	23-47	277	2
Jimmy Jones	10-10-1970	Stanford	Away	21-36	277	1
Carson Palmer	9-9-2000	Colorado	Home	25-30	275	1
Rodney Peete	10-24-1987	Notre Dame	Away	23-45	275	1
John David Booty	12-2-2006	UCLA	Away	23-39	274	0
Cody Kessler	10-4-2014	Arizona State	Home	28-45	273	0
Brad Otton	11-23-1996	UCLA	Away	12-22	273	3*
Todd Marinovich	11-24-1990	Notre Dame	Home	26-39	273	0
Rodney Peete	11-7-1987	Stanford	Home	17-20	273	5
Cody Kessler	9-19-2015	Stanford	Home	25-32	272	3
Matt Leinart	8-24-2004	Virginia Tech	N21	19-29	272	3
Rodney Peete	9-1-1988	Boston College	Away	21-33	271	1
Rodney Peete	10-8-1988	Oregon	Home	17-33	270	2
Mark Sanchez	12-6-2008	UCLA	Away	18-33	269	2
John David Booty	9-30-2006	Washington St.	Away	23-32	269	3
Rob Johnson	10-23-1993	Notre Dame	Away	29-46	269	2
Mike Rae	9-9-1972	Arkansas	N14	18-24	269	0
Todd Marinovich	9-30-1989	Washington St.	Away	27-41	268	1
Sam Darnold	11-19-2016	UCLA	Away	25-36	267	2
Mark Sanchez	11-29-2008	Notre Dame	Home	22-31	267	2
Sam Darnold	10-28-17	Arizona State	Away	19-35	266	3
John David Booty	11-25-2006	Notre Dame	Home	17-28	265	3
Sam Darnold	11-18-2018	UCLA	Home	17-28	264	0
Cody Kessler	10-24-2015	Utah	Home	21-28	264	1
Cody Kessler	10-25-2014	Utah	Away	24-32	264	2
Matt Barkley	9-10-2011	Utah	Home	20-32	264	1
Matt Barkley	10-30-2010	Oregon	Home	26-49	264	1
Cody Kessler	9-27-2014	Oregon State	Home	24-32	261	2
John David Booty	9-2-2006	Arkansas	Away	24-35	261	3
Matt Leinart	10-11-2003	Stanford	Home	18-27	260	3
Matt Leinart	11-5-2005	Stanford	Home	22-28	259	4
Matt Leinart	10-1-2005	Arizona State	Away	23-39	258	0
John Fox	11-22-1997	UCLA	Home	14-34	258	2
Rodney Peete	10-4-1986	Oregon	Home	16-22	258	1
Matt Barkley	9-2-2010	Hawaii	Away	18-23	257	5
John David Booty	9-16-2006	Nebraska	Home	25-36	257	3
Sean Salisbury	10-8-1983	Washington St.	Home	19-25	256	3
John David Booty	1-1-2008	Illinois	N5	25-37	255	3
Matt Barkley	9-15-2012	Stanford	Away	20-41	254	0
Carson Palmer	11-23-2002	UCLA	Away	19-32	254	4
Brad Otton	9-14-1996	Oregon State	Home	17-29	254	2
Rob Hertel	11-25-1977	UCLA	Home	15-24	254	3
Sam Darnold	9-23-2016	Utah	Away	18-26	253	0
Mark Sanchez	10-18-2008	Washington St.	Away	15-20	253	5
Rodney Peete	10-11-1986	Washington St.	Away	16-25	253	1
Carson Palmer	11-21-1998	UCLA	Away	28-43	252	1
Rob Johnson	11-13-1993	Washington	Away	24-37	252	1
Carson Palmer	11-25-2000	Notre Dame	Home	17-35	251	2
Brad Otton	10-28-1995	Washington	Away	21-36	251	2
John Fox	9-27-1997	California	Away	15-28	250	2
Rodney Peete	1-1-1988	Michigan State	N5	22-41	249	2

Rodney Peete	10-3-1987
John David Booty	10-14-2006
Carson Palmer	10-27-2001
Rodney Peete	9-19-1987
Rob Hertel	12-31-1977
Mike Rae	9-16-1972
Cody Kessler	11-1-2013
Matt Barkley	9-26-2009
Matt Leinart	11-12-2005
Rob Johnson	11-19-1994
Todd Marinovich	9-23-1989
Pat Haden	10-13-1973
Carson Palmer	9-14-2002
Cody Kessler	11-7-2015
John David Booty	10-7-2006
Rodney Peete	10-29-1988
Scott Tinsley	11-27-1982
Matt Leinart	12-4-2004
JT Daniels	9-21-2018
Cody Kessler	9-5-2015
Carson Palmer	9-29-2001
Todd Marinovich	9-15-1990
Pat Haden	10-20-1973
Rob Hertel	10-8-1977
Bill Nelsen	11-12-1960
Cody Kessler	11-21-2015
Mark Sanchez	11-8-2008
John David Booty	11-18-2006
Cody Kessler	9-14-2013
Rob Johnson	10-1-1994
John David Booty	9-29-2007
Matt Leinart	9-18-2004
Jack Sears	10-27-2018
Sam Darnold	10-15-2016
Mark Sanchez	10-20-2007
Matt Leinart	10-30-2004
Matt Leinart	9-6-2003
Rodney Peete	9-26-1987
Sean Salisbury	9-21-1985
M. Van Raaphorst	11-11-2000
Brad Otton	10-5-1996
Paul McDonald	1-1-1980
Matt Barkley	9-5-2009
Matt Leinart	12-3-2005
Sean Salisbury	9-24-1983
Sam Darnold	10-27-2016
Matt Leinart	9-11-2004
Carson Palmer	9-28-2002
Cody Kessler	10-26-2013
Carson Palmer	11-10-2001
Carson Palmer	10-20-2001
Sam Darnold	10-21-17
John Fox	9-13-1997
Rodney Peete	9-7-1987
Sean Salisbury	9-10-1983
Pat Haden	1-1-1974
Mike Rae	1-1-1973
John Fox	11-15-1997
Matt Barkley	9-24-2011
Mark Sanchez	9-25-2008
M. Van Raaphorst	9-25-1999
John Fox	10-30-1999
Todd Marinovich	11-4-1989
Rodney Peete	10-18-1986
Tim Green	11-17-1984
Gordon Adams	10-4-1980
Jimmy Jones	11-28-1970
Rodney Peete	11-26-1988
Pat Haden	11-30-1974
Matt Barkley	10-22-2011
Craig Fertig	11-28-1964
Matt Leinart	10-16-2004
Sam Darnold	9-23-2017
Brad Otton	9-16-1995
Matt Markley	11-10-2012
Reggie Perry	10-26-1991
Sean Salisbury	9-11-1982
Cody Kessler	12-30-2015
Rob Johnson	9-10-1994
Matt Leinart	9-13-2003
Brad Otton	10-12-1996
Rodney Peete	10-1-1988
Jimmy Jones	11-21-1970
Sean Salisbury	11-19-1983
Matt Leinart	10-23-2004
Mark Sanchez	10-25-2008
John Fox	11-20-1999
JT Daniels	9-8-2018
Matt Barkley	11-6-2010
Todd Marinovich	11-17-1990
Cody Kessler	11-22-2014
Carson Palmer	11-16-2002
John David Booty	11-11-2006
Carson Palmer	9-1-2001
Rob Johnson	11-14-1992
Tim Green	10-20-1984

TOP INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES

Paul McDonald	10-27-1979	California	Away	15-35	212	1
Paul McDonald	10- 6-1979	Washington St.	Home	16-23	212	2
Craig Fertig	9-26-1964	Oklahoma	Away	16-28	212	0
Reggie Perry	11-23-1991	UCLA	Home	13-28	209	2
Scott Tinsley	11-13-1982	Arizona	Away	14-25	209	3
Gordon Adams	10-11-1980	Arizona	Away	18-27	209	1
Brad Otton	10- 8-1994	Oregon State	Away	13-21	208	2
Jimmy Jones	10-31-1970	California	Home	13-31	208	1
Rob Johnson	11-20-1993	UCLA	Home	23-36	207	2
Sean Salisbury	11- 5-1983	Stanford	Home	12-17	207	1
Matt Barkley	11-28-2009	UCLA	Home	18-26	206	1
John David Booty	12-1-2007	UCLA	Home	21-36	206	1
John David Booty	9-1-2007	Idaho	Home	21-32	206	3
Todd Marinovich	10-14-1989	California	Away	16-26	206	1
Sam Darnold	11-26-2016	Notre Dame	Home	19-29	205	2
Matt Leinart	11-6-2004	Oregon State	Away	17-31	205	2
Brad Otton	10-19-1996	Arizona State	Away	16-39	205	3*
Cody Kessler	11-13-2015	Colorado	Away	17-27	204	3
John David Booty	11-4-2006	Stanford	Away	12-21	203	3
Carson Palmer	11-7-1998	Stanford	Away	9-26	203	1
M. Van Raaphorst	10-10-1998	California	Home	11-22	203	2
Rob Hertel	9-10-1977	Missouri	Away	12-20	203	3
Matt Barkley	9-11-2010	Virginia	Home	20-35	202	2
Matt Barkley	10-24-2009	Oregon State	Home	15-25	202	2
Carson Palmer	10-28-2000	California	Home	19-39	202	1
Cody Kessler	10-19-2013	Notre Dame	Away	20-34	201	0
Matt Leinart	10-22-2005	Washington	Away	20-26	201	4
Rob Johnson	9-19-1992	Oklahoma	Away	17-27	201	1
Reggie Perry	10-19-1991	Stanford	Home	22-33	201	0
Sean Salisbury	10-16-1982	Stanford	Away	17-30	201	0
Matt Leinart	11-19-2005	Fresno State	Home	22-33	200	1

+-One overtime

*-Two overtimes

**-Three overtimes

N1-Cotton Bowl, Dallas, Texas

N2-Anaheim Stadium, Anaheim, California

N3-Sun Bowl, El Paso, Texas

N4-Giants Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey

N5-Rose Bowl, Pasadena, California

N10-Astrodome, Houston, Texas

N14-War Memorial Stadium, Little Rock, Arkansas

N19-Sam Boyd Stadium, Las Vegas, Nevada

N20-Pro Player Stadium, Miami, Florida

N21-FedEx Field, Landover, Maryland

N22-AT&T Park, San Francisco, California

N25-Qualcomm Stadium, San Diego, California

N26-Levi's Stadium, Santa Clara, California

N27-AT&T Stadium, Arlington, Texas

History of USC Game Passing Yardage Record

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	C- A	YDS	TD
Russ Saunders	11-23-1929	Idaho	Home	6- 9	190	3
Jim Powers	10-29-1949	Washington	Away	19-26	293	3
Craig Fertig	10-24-1964	California	Home	21-28	371	4
Paul McDonald	11- 3-1979	Arizona	Home	25-35	380	3
Rob Johnson	9-25-1993	Washington St.	Home	21-26	392	3
Mike Van Raaphorst	10-23-1999	Stanford	Home	25-51	415	3
Carson Palmer	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	31-42	448	5
Matt Barkley	10-1-2011	Arizona	Home	32-39	468	4
Matt Barkley	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	31-49	493	3

200-Yard Passing Performances

- 36 - Matt Leinart	- 8 - Sean Salisbury
- 32 - Matt Barkley	- 7 - John Fox JT Daniels
- 31 - Carson Palmer	- 6 - Paul McDonald Mike Van Raaphorst
- 29 - Cody Kessler	- 5 - Jimmy Jones
- 23 - Sam Darnold	- 4 - Pat Haden Rob Hertel
- 21 - Rob Johnson	- 3 - Craig Fertig Mike Rae Reggie Perry
- 19 - Rodney Peete	- 2 - Jim Powers Scott Tinsley Gordon Adams Tim Green
- 18 - John David Booty	- 1 - Bill Nelsen Troy Winslow Jack Sears
- 13 - Todd Marinovich	
- 12 - Brad Otton	
- 11 - Mark Sanchez	

USC 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

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PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	NO.	YDS	TD
Marqise Lee	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	16	345	2
R. Jay Soward	11-23-1996	UCLA	Away	6	260	3*
Steve Smith	10-28-2006	Oregon State	Away	11	258	2
Robert Woods	10-1-2011	Arizona	Home	14	255	2
Johnnie Morton	9-25-1993	Washington St.	Home	8	229	1
Mike Williams	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	13	226	2
Marqise Lee	11-26-2011	UCLA	Home	13	224	2
Robert Woods	10-9-2010	Stanford	Away	12	224	3
Keyshawn Johnson	1- 2-1995	Texas Tech	N1	8	222	3
Nelson Agholor	11-1-2014	Washington St.	Away	8	220	1
Nelson Agholor	11-13-2014	California	Home	16	216	2
Keyshawn Johnson	1- 1-1996	Northwestern	N5	12	216	1
Dwayne Jarrett	1- 1-2007	Michigan	N5	11	205	2
Hal Bedsole	10-20-1962	California	Home	6	201	2
Dwayne Jarrett	10-29-2005	Washington St.	Home	11	200	1
John Jackson	10-21-1989	Notre Dame	Away	14	200	1
Marqise Lee	9-1-2012	Hawaii	Home	10	197	1
JuJu Smith-Schuster	9-12-2015	Idaho	Home	10	192	2
Marqise Lee	10-4-2012	Utah	Away	12	192	1
Damian Williams	12-26-2009	Boston College	N22	12	189	0
Marqise Lee	11-19-2011	Oregon	Away	8	187	1
Steve Smith	9-20-2006	Washington St.	Away	11	186	2
Johnnie Morton	9- 4-1993	Houston	Home	15	186	3
Steve Smith	9- 3-2005	Hawaii	Away	7	185	1
Mike Williams	11-22-2003	UCLA	Home	11	181	2
R. Jay Soward	11-22-1997	UCLA	Home	8	181	1
David Moton	11-27-1965	Wyoming	Home	5	181	3
Robert Woods	9-3-2011	Minnesota	Home	17	177	3
Keyshawn Johnson	9-16-1995	Houston	Home	8	176	2
Keyshawn Johnson	11-19-1994	UCLA	Away	11	175	1
Jeff Simmons	10-30-1982	Arizona State	Away	11	173	1
Keyshawn Johnson	9-30-1995	Arizona State	Home	13	171	1
Kareem Kelly	10-30-1999	California	Away	9	170	1
Mike Williams	11-30-2002	Notre Dame	Home	10	169	2
Amon-Ra St. Brown	9-15-2018	Texas	Away	9	167	0
R. Jay Soward	10-4-1997	UNLV	Home	5	167	2
Kareem Kelly	9-22-2001	Oregon	Away	4	165	1
Deontay Burnett	1-2-2017	Penn State	N5	13	164	3
Nelson Agholor	11-3-2012	Oregon	Home	6	162	1
Damian Williams	1-1-2009	Penn State	N5	10	162	1
Nelson Agholor	10-10-2013	Arizona	Home	7	161	1
Marqise Lee	11-10-2012	Arizona State	Home	10	161	1
Mike Williams	10-19-2002	Washington	Home	9	159	3
Marqise Lee	11-17-2012	UCLA	Away	9	158	1
Marqise Lee	11-3-2012	Oregon	Home	12	157	2
Mike Williams	11-15-2003	Arizona	Away	11	157	3
Johnnie Morton	10-16-1993	Oregon State	Home	7	157	3
Michael Pittman Jr.	10-13-2018	Colorado	Home	6	155	2
Chris Miller	9-7-1996	Illinois	Away	3	155	1
John Jackson	11- 8-1988	Oregon	Home	7	155	2
JuJu Smith-Schuster	9-19-2015	Stanford	Home	8	153	1
Anthony McCoy	10-17-2009	Notre Dame	Away	5	153	0
Fred Davis	10-6-2007	Stanford	Home	5	152	1
Erik Affholter	11-21-1987	UCLA	Home	9	151	1
Keary Colbert	1-1-2004	Michigan	N5	6	149	2
Jeff Simmons	11-27-1982	Notre Dame	Home	11	149	0
Dan Garcia	10-20-1979	Notre Dame	Away	8	149	1
R. Jay Soward	9-25-1999	Oregon	Away	12	148	1**
R. Jay Soward	9-27-1997	California	Away	7	148	2
Ken Henry	10-11-1986	Washington St.	Away	7	148	1
Lynn Swann	10-13-1973	Washington St.	Home	10	148	2
Johnnie Morton	12-30-1993	Utah	N2	10	147	2
Erik Affholter	10-10-1987	Oregon	Away	8	147	2
Michael Pittman Jr.	12-1-2017	Stanford	N26	7	146	1
Keary Colbert	10-19-2002	Washington	Home	7	146	1
Keyshawn Johnson	10-15-1994	Stanford	Away	7	146	1
Kareem Kelly	9-9-2000	Colorado	Home	10	145	0
Keyshawn Johnson	11- 5-1994	Washington St.	Away	8	145	3
Earl McCullouch	9-15-1967	Washington St.	Home	5	145	0
Marqise Lee	10-1-2011	Arizona	Home	8	144	1
Dwayne Jarrett	11-13-2004	Arizona	Home	6	144	2
JuJu Smith-Schuster	10-24-2015	Utah	Home	8	143	1
Deontay Burnett	9-2-2017	Western Michigan	Home	7	142	0
Gary Wellman	11- 3-1990	California	Home	9	142	0
Deontay Burnett	12-29-2017	Ohio State	N27	12	139	0
JuJu Smith-Schuster	10-17-2015	Notre Dame	Away	6	139	1
Dwayne Jarrett	10-16-2004	Arizona State	Home	5	139	3
Keyshawn Johnson	10- 8-1994	Oregon State	Away	6	139	0
JuJu Smith-Schuster	11-7-2015	Arizona	Home	8	138	1
Billy Miller	9-13-1997	Washington St.	Home	10	138	0
Sam Dickerson	10-25-1969	Georgia Tech	Home	6	138	2
Dwayne Jarrett	9-16-2006	Nebraska	Home	11	136	2
Steve Smith	12-6-2003	Oregon State	Home	5	136	1
Steve Smith	10- 8-2005	Arizona	Home	7	135	0
Johnnie Morton	11- 2-1991	California	Away	8	135	0
Erik Affholter	11-12-1988	Arizona State	Away	8	135	1
Erik Affholter	10-29-1988	Oregon State	Away	7	135	3
Sam Dickerson	11-21-1970	UCLA	Home	4	134	1
JuJu Smith-Schuster	1-2-2017	Penn State	N5	7	133	1

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Lindon Crow	9-24-1954	Pittsburgh	Home	3	133	1
JuJu Smith-Schuster	10-15-2016	Arizona	Away	9	132	3
Robert Woods	10-20-2012	Colorado	Home	8	132	4
Dwayne Jarrett	11-25-2006	Notre Dame	Home	7	132	3
Reggie Bush	10-25-2003	Washington	Away	5	132	2
Hank Norman	9-21-1985	Baylor	Home	10	132	1
Adoree' Jackson	9-26-2015	Arizona State	Away	3	131	1
Robert Woods	9-24-2011	Arizona State	Away	8	131	0
Robert Woods	11-4-2011	Colorado	Away	9	130	2
Steve Smith	9-17-2005	Arkansas	Home	4	129	0
Steve Smith	9-25-2004	Stanford	Away	7	129	1
Mike Williams	10-11-2003	Stanford	Home	7	129	3
Kareem Kelly	10-23-1999	Stanford	Home	8	129	0
Nelson Agholor	10-18-2014	Colorado	Home	6	128	3
Reggie Bush	8-28-2004	Virginia Tech	N21	5	127	3
Kareem Kelly	10-13-2001	Arizona State	Home	5	127	0
Johnnie Morton	11- 6-1993	Stanford	Home	4	127	2
Edesel Garrison	10-23-1971	Notre Dame	Away	5	127	2
Tyler Vaughns	10-28-2017	Arizona State	Away	6	126	2
Erik Affholter	10- 1-1988	Arizona	Away	9	126	3
Keary Colbert	9-21-2002	Kansas State	Away	11	125	1
Marqise Lee	11-4-2011	Colorado	Away	9	124	2
Fred Davis	9-22-2007	Washington St.	Home	9	124	2
Mike Williams	9-6-2003	BYU	Home	10	124	2
R. Jay Soward	11-21-1998	UCLA	Away	7	124	0
Keyshawn Johnson	9- 9-1995	San Jose St.	Home	8	124	0
Hank Norman	11-16-1985	Washington	Away	5	124	0
Bob Chandler	10-17-1970	Washington	Home	6	124	0
Hal Bedsole	10-21-1961	California	Away	7	124	2
Deontay Burnett	9-16-2017	Texas	Home	8	123	2*
JuJu Smith-Schuster	10-1-2016	Arizona State	Home	7	123	3
JuJu Smith	8-30-2014	Fresno State	Home	4	123	0
Lynn Swann	10-20-1973	Oregon	Home	5	122	1
Earl McCullouch	10- 7-1967	Stanford	Home	7	122	2
Mike Garrett	10-24-1964	California	Home	6	122	1
Keyshawn Johnson	10-21-1995	Notre Dame	Away	6	122	1
Deontay Burnett	2-9-2017	Stanford	Home	9	121	2
Dwayne Jarrett	1- 4-2006	Texas	N5	10	121	1
Gary Wellman	9-15-1990	Penn State	Home	9	121	0
Randy Simmrin	11-27-1976	Notre Dame	Home	6	121	1
Jim Lawrence	10-12-1968	Stanford	Away	4	121	0
Tyler Vaughns	11-24-2018	Notre Dame	Home	12	120	1
Nelson Agholor	11-29-2014	Notre Dame	Home	12	120	1
Keary Colbert	10-18-2003	Notre Dame	Away	8	120	1
Edward Hervey	11-12-1994	Arizona	Home	5	120	1
Ken Henry	9-19-1987	Boston College	Home	6	120	1
Randy Simmrin	10- 8-1977	Alabama	Home	6	120	0
Tyler Vaughns	12-29-2017	Ohio State	N27	6	119	0
Robert Woods	10-22-2011	Notre Dame	Away	12	119	2
Fred Davis	11-22-2007	Arizona State	Away	5	119	1
Randy Tanner	9- 7-1985	Illinois	Away	4	119	1
Javorius Allen	9-13-2014	Boston College	Away	9	118	1
Marqise Lee	12-21-2013	Fresno State	N19	7	118	2
Dwayne Jarrett	11-4-2006	Stanford	Away	5	118	1
Johnnie Morton	10-30-1994	California	Away	7	118	1
Timmie Ware	11- 5-1983	Stanford	Home	4	118	1
Shelton Diggs	11-13-1976	Washington	Home	4	118	1
Malae'fou MacKenzie	9-2-2002	Auburn	Home	6	117	0
Timmie Ware	9-10-1993	Florida	Home	4	117	1
Robert Woods	10-16-2010	California	Home	7	116	2
Patrick Turner	10-7-2006	Washington	Home	12	116	1
Dwayne Jarrett	10- 8-2005	Arizona	Home	9	116	2
Chris Miller	9-14-1996	Oregon State	Home	7	116	0
Keyshawn Johnson	11-18-1995	UCLA	Home	12	116	0
Dwayne Jarrett	1-4-2005	Oklahoma	N20	5	115	1
Windrell Hayes	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	9	115	1
Curtis Conway	9-19-1992	Oklahoma	Away	9	115	1
Gary Wellman	11-12-1988	Arizona State	Away	4	115	1
Bob Chandler	11- 9-1968	California	Home	8	115	1
Kareem Kelly	11-11-2000	Washington St.	Home	7	114	1
Keyshawn Johnson	11-26-1994	Notre Dame	Home	6	114	0
Johnnie Morton	10-10-1992	Oregon	Home	8	114	3
Calvin Sweeney	11-22-1977	Notre Dame	Away	5	114	1
Leon Clarke	10- 8-1954	TCU	Home	4	114	0
Deontay Burnett	10-21-2017	Notre Dame	Away	8	113	1
JuJu Smith-Schuster	10-8-2016	Colorado	Home	5	113	0
Robert Woods	11-26-2011	UCLA	Home	12	113	2
Steve Smith	1-4-2005	Oklahoma	N20	7	113	3
Keary Colbert	10-7-2000	Arizona	Home	6	113	0
Johnnie Morton	10- 9-1993	Oregon	Away	7	113	2
Johnnie Morton	11- 7-1992	Stanford	Away	5	113	0
Hank Norman	10-19-1985	Stanford	Home	2	113	0
Mike Williams	10-18-2003	Notre Dame	Away	9	112	1
Mike Williams	10-5-2002	Washington St.	Away	6	112	1+
Billy Miller	10-4-1997	UNLV	Home	8	112	0
Keyshawn Johnson	9-23-1995	Arizona	Away	9	112	1
Curtis Conway	10- 3-1992	Washington	Away	5	112	1
Fred Hill	10-31-1964	Washington	Home	11	112	0
Hal Bedsole	9-29-1962	SMU	Away	4	112	2
Keyshawn Johnson	10-28-1995	Washington	Away	8	111	0
Hal Bedsole	10-27-1962	Illinois	Away	3	111	2
Nelson Agholor	10-25-2014	Utah	Away	10	110	0
Keyshawn Johnson	10-22-1994	California	Home	4	110	0
John Jackson	10-28-1989	Stanford	Home	7	110	0
Kevin Williams	11- 3-1979	Arizona	Home	5	110	2
John McKay	11-30-1974	Notre Dame	Home	4	110	2



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Ronald Johnson	10-2-2010	Washington	Home	6	109	0
Billy Miller	10-31-1998	Washington	Home	5	109	1
Keyshawn Johnson	11-12-1994	Arizona	Home	5	109	0
Johnnie Morton	9-11-1993	Penn State	Away	6	109	0
Johnnie Morton	10-23-1993	Notre Dame	Away	6	109	0
Gary Wellman	8-31-1990	Syracuse	N4	7	109	1
Rod Sherman	11-28-1964	Notre Dame	Home	7	109	1
Damian Williams	10-17-2009	Notre Dame	Away	4	108	2
Steve Smith	1-1-2007	Michigan	N5	7	108	1
Mike Williams	10-4-2003	Arizona State	Away	5	108	0
Johnnie Morton	11-14-1992	Arizona	Home	4	108	0
John Jackson	9-23-1989	Ohio State	Home	2	108	1
Randy Simmrin	11-25-1977	UCLA	Home	6	108	0
Lynn Swann	1-1-1973	Ohio State	N5	6	108	1
Willie Brown	1-1-1963	Wisconsin	N5	3	108	0
Michael Pittman Jr.	10-20-2018	Utah	Away	4	107	1
Stanley Havili	9-25-2010	Washington St.	Away	5	107	1
Patrick Turner	10-27-2007	Oregon	Away	7	107	1
Windrell Hayes	10-16-1999	Notre Dame	Away	8	107	1
Ken Grace	10-1-1994	Oregon	Home	6	107	0
Randy Tanner	9-7-1987	Michigan State	Away	8	107	1
Randy Simmrin	9-10-1977	Missouri	Away	5	107	1
Michael Pittman Jr.	11-17-2018	UCLA	Away	7	106	0
Kareem Kelly	11-23-2000	San Jose State	Home	7	106	1
Larry Parker	10-24-1998	Oregon	Away	4	106	0
Ken Grace	11-20-1993	UCLA	Home	4	106	0
Shelton Diggs	10-2-1976	Iowa	Home	6	106	2
Bob Chandler	10-10-1970	Stanford	Away	8	106	1
Marqise Lee	11-1-2013	Oregon State	Away	5	105	1
R. Jay Soward	10-10-1998	California	Home	4	105	1
Larry Parker	10-3-1998	Arizona State	Home	5	105	0
Billy Miller	10-25-1997	Oregon	Home	9	105	0
Calvin Sweeney	11-25-1978	Notre Dame	Home	5	105	0
Keyshawn Johnson	9-24-1994	Baylor	Home	4	105	0
Jeff Simmons	11-13-1982	Arizona	Away	6	105	2
Rod Sherman	11-27-1965	Wyoming	Home	7	105	1
JuJu Smith	10-18-2014	Colorado	Home	4	104	1
Nelson Agholor	11-16-2013	Stanford	Home	8	104	0
Marqise Lee	8-29-2013	Hawaii	Away	8	104	0
Mike Williams	8-30-2003	Auburn	Away	8	104	1
Kareem Kelly	9-4-1999	Hawaii	Away	5	104	0
Larry Parker	12-31-1998	TCU	N3	4	104	0
John McKay	1-1-1975	Ohio State	N5	5	104	1
Ron Drake	10-1-1966	Oregon State	N15	8	104	0
JuJu Smith-Schuster	9-26-2015	Arizona State	Away	5	103	2
Marqise Lee	10-20-2012	Colorado	Home	6	103	1
Mike Williams	10-12-2002	California	Home	6	103	1
John Allred	9-21-1996	Houston	Away	10	103	0
Jeff Simmons	9-11-1982	Florida	Away	5	103	0
Robert Woods	9-10-2011	Utah	Home	8	102	0
Dwayne Jarrett	11-27-2004	Notre Dame	Home	6	102	2
Travis Hannah	11-10-1990	Oregon State	Away	6	102	2
John Jackson	9-30-1989	Washington St.	Away	11	102	1
Erik Affholter	10-24-1987	Notre Dame	Away	8	102	0
Rod Sherman	1-2-1967	Purdue	N5	7	102	1
Damian Williams	10-3-2009	California	Away	8	101	0
Dwayne Jarrett	11-5-2005	Stanford	Home	8	101	1
Dwayne Jarrett	10-15-2005	Notre Dame	Away	4	101	0
R. Jay Soward	10-16-1999	Notre Dame	Away	10	101	1
Gary Wellman	11-24-1990	Notre Dame	Home	9	101	0
Joe Cormier	11-23-1985	UCLA	Home	8	101	1
Dan Garcia	11-3-1979	Arizona	Home	6	101	0
Rod Sherman	9-26-1964	Oklahoma	Away	7	101	0
Hal Bedsole	1-1-1963	Wisconsin	N5	4	101	2
Ralph Heywood	10-9-1943	St. Mary's PF	Home	4	101	1
Marqise Lee	9-15-2012	Stanford	Away	8	100	0
Damian Williams	9-26-2009	Washington St.	Home	5	100	1
Patrick Turner	11-1-2008	Washington	Home	6	100	2
Keary Colbert	10-4-2003	Arizona State	Away	5	100	1
Kareem Kelly	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	6	100	0
Shelton Diggs	11-6-1976	Stanford	Away	3	100	3
John McKay	10-26-1974	Oregon State	Home	6	100	1
Jim Lawrence	9-30-1967	Michigan State	Away	5	100	1

+ -One overtime

* -Two overtimes

** -Three overtimes

N1-Cotton Bowl, Dallas, Texas

N2-Anaheim Stadium, Anaheim, California

N3-Sun Bowl, El Paso, Texas

N4-Giants Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey

N5-Rose Bowl, Pasadena, California

N15-Multnomah Stadium, Portland, Oregon

N19-Sam Boyd Stadium, Las Vegas, Nevada

N20-Pro Player Stadium, Miami, Florida

N21-FedEx Field, Landover, Maryland

N22-AT&T Park, San Francisco, California

N26-Levi's Stadium, Santa Clara, California

N27-AT&T Stadium, Arlington, Texas

100-Yard Receiving Performances

- 17 -
Keyshawn Johnson

- 15 -
Marqise Lee

- 13 -
Johnnie Morton
Dwayne Jarrett

- 12 -
Mike Williams

- 11 -
JuJu Smith-Schuster

- 10 -
Robert Woods

- 9 -
Kareem Kelly
Steve Smith

- 8 -
R. Jay Soward
Nelson Agholor

- 6 -
Erik Affholter
Keary Colbert
Deontay Burnett

- 5 -
Hal Bedsole
John Jackson
Gary Wellman
Damian Williams

- 4 -
Rod Sherman
Randy Simmrin
Jeff Simmons
Billy Miller
Michael Pittman Jr.

- 3 -
Lynn Swann
Shelton Diggs
John McKay
Bob Chandler
Hank Norman
Larry Parker
Fred Davis
Patrick Turner
Tyler Vaughns

- 2 -
Jim Lawrence
Earl McCullough
Sam Dickerson
Calvin Sweeney
Dan Garcia
Timmie Ware
Randy Tanner
Ken Henry
Curtis Conway
Ken Grace
Chris Miller
Windrell Hayes
Reggie Bush

- 1 -
Ralph Heywood
Leon Clarke
Lindon Crow
Fred Hill
Willie Brown
Mike Garrett
Ron Drake
Edesel Garrison
Joe Cormier
Travis Hannah
David Moton
Kevin Williams
Edward Hervey
John Allred
Malae'fou MacKenzie
Anthony McCoy
Stanley Havili
Ronald Johnson
Javorius Allen
Adoree' Jackson
Amon-Ra St. Brown

History of USC Game Receiving Yardage Record

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	NO.	YDS	TD
Ralph Heywood	10-9-1943	St. Mary's PF	Home	4	101	1
Lindon Crow	9-24-1954	Pittsburgh	Home	3	133	1
Hal Bedsole	10-20-1962	California	Home	6	201	2
Johnnie Morton	9-25-1993	Washington St.	Home	8	229	1
R. Jay Soward	11-23-1996	UCLA	Away	6	260	3*
Marqise Lee	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	16	345	2

* -Two overtimes



USC 8 OR MORE RECEPTIONS

(Since 1926)

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	NO.	YDS	TD
Robert Woods	9-3-2011	Minnesota	Home	17	177	3
Nelson Agholor	11-13-2014	California	Home	16	216	2
Marqise Lee	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	16	345	2
Johnnie Morton	9-4-1993	Houston	Home	15	186	3
Robert Woods	10-1-2011	Arizona	Home	14	255	2
John Jackson	10-21-1989	Notre Dame	Away	14	200	1
Deontay Burnett	1-2-2017	Penn State	N5	13	164	3
Marqise Lee	11-26-2011	UCLA	Home	13	224	2
Mike Williams	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	13	226	2
Keyshawn Johnson	9-30-1995	Arizona State	Home	13	171	1
Tyler Vaughns	10-24-2018	Notre Dame	Home	12	120	1
Deontay Burnett	12-29-2017	Ohio State	N27	12	139	0
Nelson Agholor	11-29-2014	Notre Dame	Home	12	120	1
Marqise Lee	11-3-2012	Oregon	Home	12	157	2
Marqise Lee	10-4-2012	Utah	Away	12	192	1
Robert Woods	11-26-2011	UCLA	Home	12	113	2
Robert Woods	10-22-2011	Notre Dame	Away	12	119	2
Robert Woods	10-9-2010	Stanford	Away	12	224	3
Damian Williams	12-26-2009	Boston College	N22	12	189	0
Patrick Turner	10-7-2006	Washington	Home	12	116	1
R. Jay Soward	10-2-1999	Oregon	Away	12	148	1**
Keyshawn Johnson	1-1-1996	Northwestern	N5	12	216	1
Keyshawn Johnson	11-18-1995	UCLA	Home	12	116	0
JuJu Smith-Schuster	12-5-2015	Stanford	N26	11	87	0
Marqise Lee	9-22-2012	California	Home	11	94	2
Marqise Lee	9-8-2012	Syracuse	N23	11	66	3
Dwayne Jarrett	1-1-2007	Michigan	N5	11	205	2
Steve Smith	10-28-2006	Oregon State	Away	11	258	2
Steve Smith	9-30-2006	Washington St.	Away	11	186	2
Dwayne Jarrett	9-16-2006	Nebraska	Home	11	136	2
Dwayne Jarrett	10-29-2005	Washington St.	Home	11	200	1
Mike Williams	11-22-2003	UCLA	Home	11	181	2
Mike Williams	11-15-2003	Arizona	Away	11	157	3
Keary Colbert	9-21-2002	Kansas State	Away	11	125	1
Keyshawn Johnson	11-19-1994	UCLA	Away	11	175	1
John Jackson	9-30-1989	Washington St.	Away	11	102	1
Jeff Simmons	10-30-1982	Arizona State	Away	11	173	1
Jeff Simmons	11-27-1982	Notre Dame	Home	11	149	0
Fred Hill	10-31-1964	Washington	Home	11	112	0
Amon-Ra St. Brown	11-24-2018	Notre Dame	Home	10	94	0
JuJu Smith-Schuster	9-12-2015	Idaho	Home	10	192	2
Nelson Agholor	10-25-2014	Utah	Away	10	110	0
Marqise Lee	11-10-2012	Arizona State	Home	10	161	1
Robert Woods	9-8-2012	Syracuse	N23	10	93	2
Marqise Lee	9-1-2012	Hawaii	Home	10	197	1
Damian Williams	1-1-2009	Penn State	N5	10	162	1
Dwayne Jarrett	1-4-2006	Texas	N5	10	121	1
Mike Williams	9-6-2003	BYU	Home	10	124	2
Mike Williams	11-30-2002	Notre Dame	Home	10	169	2
Kareem Kelly	9-9-2000	Colorado	Home	10	145	0
R. Jay Soward	10-16-1999	Notre Dame	Away	10	101	1
Billy Miller	9-13-1997	Washington St.	Home	10	138	0
John Allred	9-21-1996	Houston	Away	10	103	0
Johnnie Morton	12-30-1993	Utah	N2	10	147	2
Hank Norman	9-21-1985	Baylor	Home	10	132	1
Lynn Swann	10-13-1973	Washington St.	Home	10	148	2
Ron Drake	10-28-1966	Miami (Fla.)	Away	10	94	0
Amon-Ra St. Brown	9-15-2018	Texas	Away	9	167	0
Deontay Burnett	9-23-2017	California	Away	9	76	1
Deontay Burnett	2-9-2017	Stanford	Home	9	121	2
JuJu Smith-Schuster	10-15-2016	Arizona	Away	9	132	9
Nelson Agholor	10-4-2014	Arizona State	Home	9	85	0
Javorius Allen	9-13-2014	Boston College	Away	9	118	1
Nelson Agholor	9-13-2014	Boston College	Away	9	64	1
Nelson Agholor	9-6-2014	Stanford	Away	9	91	0
Marqise Lee	11-17-2012	UCLA	Away	9	158	1
Robert Woods	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	9	93	0
Marqise Lee	11-12-2011	Washington	Home	9	74	1
Robert Woods	11-4-2011	Colorado	Away	9	130	2
Marqise Lee	11-4-2011	Colorado	Away	9	124	2
Robert Woods	10-29-2011	Stanford	Home	9	89	1**
Robert Woods	11-27-2010	Notre Dame	Home	9	87	0
Damian Williams	10-31-2009	Oregon	Away	9	82	1
Patrick Turner	10-6-2007	Stanford	Home	9	83	0
Fred Davis	9-22-2007	Washington St.	Home	9	124	2
Dwayne Jarrett	10-8-2005	Arizona	Home	9	116	2
Keary Colbert	11-1-2003	Washington St.	Home	9	80	1
Mike Williams	10-18-2003	Notre Dame	Away	9	112	1
Mike Williams	10-12-2002	Washington	Home	9	159	3
Kareem Kelly	10-30-1999	California	Away	9	170	1
Windrell Hayes	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	9	115	1
Windrell Hayes	11-21-1998	UCLA	Away	9	95	0
Billy Miller	10-25-1997	Oregon	Home	9	105	0
Keyshawn Johnson	10-14-1995	Washington St.	Home	9	85	0
Keyshawn Johnson	9-23-1995	Arizona	Away	9	112	1
Ken Grace	9-24-1994	Baylor	Home	9	70	1
Johnnie Morton	11-28-1992	Notre Dame	Home	9	91	0
Curtis Conway	9-19-1992	Oklahoma	Away	9	115	1
Johnnie Morton	10-19-1991	Stanford	Home	9	77	0

Gary Wellman	11-24-1990	Notre Dame	Home	9	101	0
Gary Wellman	11-3-1990	California	Home	9	142	0
Gary Wellman	9-15-1990	Penn State	Home	9	121	0
Erik Affholter	10-1-1988	Arizona	Away	9	126	3
Erik Affholter	11-21-1987	UCLA	Home	9	151	1
Joe Cormier	11-19-1983	UCLA	Home	9	87	0
Deon Strother	10-23-1993	Notre Dame	Away	9	71	1
Tyler Vaughns	11-10-2018	California	Home	8	91	2
Deontay Burnett	10-21-2017	Notre Dame	Away	8	113	1
Deontay Burnett	10-14-2017	Utah	Home	8	99	0
Deontay Burnett	9-16-2017	Texas	Home	8	123	2*
JuJu Smith-Schuster	11-19-2016	UCLA	Away	8	76	0
JuJu Smith-Schuster	9-23-2016	Utah	Away	8	98	0
JuJu Smith-Schuster	11-7-2015	Arizona	Home	8	138	1
JuJu Smith-Schuster	10-24-2015	Utah	Home	8	143	1
JuJu Smith-Schuster	9-19-2015	Stanford	Home	8	153	1
Nelson Agholor	11-1-2014	Washington St.	Away	8	220	1
Nelson Agholor	11-16-2013	Stanford	Home	8	104	0
Marqise Lee	8-29-2013	Hawaii	Away	8	104	0
Robert Woods	10-20-2012	Colorado	Home	8	132	4
Marqise Lee	9-15-2012	Stanford	Away	8	100	0
Marqise Lee	11-19-2011	Oregon	Away	8	187	1
Marqise Lee	10-1-2011	Arizona	Home	8	144	1
Robert Woods	9-17-2011	Syracuse	Home	8	82	1
Robert Woods	9-10-2011	Utah	Home	8	102	0
Robert Woods	11-13-2010	Arizona	Away	8	41	0
Damian Williams	12-5-2009	Arizona	Home	8	51	0
Damian Williams	10-3-2009	California	Away	8	101	0
Dwayne Jarrett	11-5-2005	Stanford	Home	8	101	1
Dwayne Jarrett	9-24-2005	Oregon	Away	8	94	2
Dominique Byrd	11-13-2004	Arizona	Home	8	72	0
Steve Smith	9-11-2004	Colorado State	Home	8	79	1
Mike Williams	1-1-2004	Michigan	N5	8	88	0
Keary Colbert	10-18-2003	Notre Dame	Away	8	120	1
Keary Colbert	9-27-2003	California	Away	8	81	1**
Mike Williams	8-30-2003	Auburn	Away	8	104	1
Mike Williams	11-9-2002	Stanford	Away	8	94	1
Kareem Kelly	10-5-2002	Washington St.	Away	8	66	0+
Windrell Hayes	10-30-1999	California	Away	8	88	0
Kareem Kelly	10-23-1999	Stanford	Home	8	129	0
Windrell Hayes	10-16-1999	Notre Dame	Away	8	107	1
R. Jay Soward	11-22-1997	UCLA	Home	8	181	1
R. Jay Soward	11-8-1997	Stanford	Home	8	81	1
Billy Miller	10-4-1997	UNLV	Home	8	112	0
Billy Miller	9-6-1997	Florida St.	Home	8	56	0
Keyshawn Johnson	11-11-1995	Oregon State	Away	8	75	0
Keyshawn Johnson	10-28-1995	Washington	Away	8	111	0
Keyshawn Johnson	9-16-1995	Houston	Home	8	176	2
Keyshawn Johnson	9-9-1995	San Jose St.	Home	8	124	0
Keyshawn Johnson	1-2-1995	Texas Tech	N1	8	222	3
Keyshawn Johnson	11-5-1994	Washington St.	Away	8	145	3
Johnnie Morton	9-25-1993	Washington St.	Home	8	229	1
Johnnie Morton	10-10-1992	Oregon	Home	8	114	3
Johnnie Morton	11-9-1991	Washington	Home	8	83	0
Johnnie Morton	11-2-1991	California	Away	8	135	0
Erik Affholter	11-12-1988	Arizona State	Away	8	135	1
John Jackson	11-12-1988	Arizona State	Away	8	86	1
Erik Affholter	9-24-1988	Oklahoma	Home	8	94	0
Erik Affholter	9-1-1988	Boston College	Away	8	85	0
Erik Affholter	10-24-1987	Notre Dame	Away	8	102	0
Erik Affholter	10-10-1987	Oregon	Away	8	147	2
Randy Tanner	9-7-1987	Michigan State	Away	8	107	1
Joe Cormier	11-23-1985	UCLA	Home	8	101	1
Dan Garcia	10-20-1979	Notre Dame	Away	8	149	1
Shelton Diggs	1-1-1977	Michigan	N5	8	98	1
Bob Chandler	10-10-1970	Stanford	Away	8	106	1
Bob Chandler	11-9-1968	California	Home	8	115	1
Ron Drake	10-1-1966	Oregon State	N15	8	104	0
Willie Brown	9-22-1961	Georgia Tech	Home	8	87	0
Robert Peoples	9-30-1939	Oregon	Home	8	54	1

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N1-Cotton Bowl, Dallas Texas

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N23-MetLife Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey

N26-Levi's Stadium, Santa Clara, California

N27-AT&T Stadium, Arlington, Texas

8-Reception Receiving Performances

– 15 –	– 3 –
Robert Woods	Gary Wellman
Marqise Lee	John Jackson
– 12 –	Windrell Hayes
Keyshawn Johnson	Steve Smith
– 10 –	– 2 –
Mike Williams	Ron Drake
– 8 –	Bob Chandler
Johnnie Morton	Jeff Simmons
Nelson Agholor	Joe Cormier
JuJu Smith-Schuster	Patrick Turner
– 7 –	Tyler Vaughns
Erik Affholter	Amon-Ra St. Brown
Dwayne Jarrett	– 1 –
Deontay Burnett	Robert Peoples
– 5 –	Willie Brown
Damian Williams	Fred Hill
– 4 –	Lynn Swann
Billy Miller	Shelton Diggs
R. Jay Soward	Dan Garcia
Kareem Kelly	Hank Norman
Keary Colbert	Randy Tanner
	Curtis Conway
	Deon Strother
	Ken Grace
	John Allred
	Dominique Byrd
	Fred Davis
	Javorius Allen

History of USC Game Receptions Record

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	NO.	YDS	TD
Robert Peoples	9-30-1939	Oregon	Home	8	54	1
Willie Brown	9-22-1961	Georgia Tech	Home	8	87	0
Fred Hill	10-31-1964	Washington	Home	11	112	0
Jeff Simmons	10-30-1982	Arizona State	Away	11	173	1
Jeff Simmons	11-27-1982	Notre Dame	Home	11	149	0
John Jackson	10-21-1989	Notre Dame	Away	14	200	1
Johnnie Morton	9- 4-1993	Houston	Home	15	186	3
Robert Woods	9-3-2011	Minnesota	Home	17	177	3

USC
LONGEST FIELD GOAL

(Since 1907)

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	YDS
Don Shafer	11-29-1986	Notre Dame	Home	60
Quin Rodriguez	12-31-1990	Michigan State	N3	54
Andre Heidari	9-6-2014	Stanford	Away	53
Steve Jordan	10- 6-1984	Washington St.	Away	53
Andre Heidari	9-13-2014	Boston College	Away	52
Andre Heidari	8-29-2013	Hawaii	Away	52
Don Shafer	11-16-1985	Washington	Away	52
Steve Jordan	10-16-1982	Stanford	Away	52
Chase McGrath	10-28-2017	Arizona State	Away	51
Steve Jordan	1- 1-1985	Ohio State	N5	51
Steve Jordan	1- 1-1985	Ohio State	N5	51
Steve Jordan	11-10-1984	Washington	Home	51
Andre Heidari	10-29-2011	Stanford	Home	50**
Steve Jordan	9-22-1984	Arizona State	Away	50
Steve Jordan	9-22-1984	Arizona State	Away	50
Steve Jordan	10-30-1982	Arizona State	Away	50
Chris Limahelu	11-23-1974	UCLA	Home	50
Matt Boermeester	10-1-2016	Arizona State	Home	49
David Buehler	11-18-2006	California	Home	49
Adam Abrams	10-24-1998	Oregon	Away	49
Adam Abrams	9-26-1998	Florida State	Away	49
Frank Jordan	9-24-1977	TCU	Home	49
Ryan Killeen	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	48
David Newbury	9-4-1999	Hawaii	Away	48
Quin Rodriguez	10-20-1990	Arizona	Home	48
Erik Affholter	9-19-1987	Boston College	Home	48
Don Shafer	11-29-1986	Notre Dame	Home	48
Steve Jordan	10-31-1981	Washington St.	Home	48
Chase McGrath	9-1-2018	UNLV	Home	47
Matt Boermeester	9-17-2016	Stanford	Away	47
Matt Boermeester	9-3-2016	Alabama	N27	47
Andre Heidari	11-16-2013	Stanford	Home	47
Andre Heidari	9-10-2011	Utah	Home	47
David Buehler	11-3-2007	Oregon State	Home	47
David Davis	10-27-2001	Arizona	Away	47
David Newbury	8-27-2000	Penn State	N4	47
Quin Rodriguez	11-12-1988	Arizona State	Away	47
Don Shafer	10-19-1985	Stanford	Home	47
Steve Jordan	11-10-1984	Washington	Home	47
Scott Livingston	9-12-1981	Tennessee	Home	47
Eric Hipp	9-20-1980	South Carolina	Home	47
Eric Hipp	9-13-1980	Tennessee	Away	47
Glen Walker	10- 4-1975	Iowa	Away	47
Chris Limahelu	1- 1-1974	Ohio State	N5	47
Michael Brown	11-17-2018	UCLA	Away	46
Michael Brown	11-3-2018	Oregon State	Away	46
Chase McGrath	9-1-2018	UNLV	Home	46
Chase McGrath	9-23-2017	California	Away	46
Matt Boermeester	1-2-2017	Penn State	N5	46
Matt Boermeester	10-1-2016	Arizona State	Home	46
Andre Heidari	10-1-2011	Arizona	Home	46
David Buehler	12-1-2007	UCLA	Home	46
Adam Abrams	12-31-1998	TCU	N3	46
Adam Abrams	11-15-1997	Oregon State	Away	46
Adam Abrams	1- 1-1996	Northwestern	N5	46
Quin Rodriguez	9-15-1990	Penn State	Home	46
Don Shafer	11-2-1985	Washington St.	Home	46
Don Shafer	9- 7-1985	Illinois	Away	46
Steve Jordan	11-10-1984	Washington	Home	46
Steve Jordan	9-24-1983	Kansas	Home	46
Glen Walker	11-27-1976	Notre Dame	Home	46
Andre Heidari	10-10-2013	Arizona	Home	45
Joe Houston	11-27-2010	Notre Dame	Home	45
Ryan Killeen	10-4-2003	Arizona State	Away	45
Adam Abrams	8-30-1998	Purdue	Home	45
Grant Runnerstrum	9-16-1989	Utah State	Home	45
Steve Jordan	11-17-1984	UCLA	Away	45
Steve Jordan	10-29-1983	California	Away	45
Steve Jordan	9-10-1983	Florida	Home	45
Steve Jordan	11-14-1981	Washington	Away	45
Eric Hipp	9-13-1980	Tennessee	Away	45
Eric Hipp	10-27-1979	California	Away	45
Frank Jordan	9-24-1977	TCU	Home	45
Glen Walker	12-22-1975	Texas A&M	N12	45
Glen Walker	10-18-1975	Oregon	Home	45
Courtney Decius	11- 6-1909	Occidental	Away	45
Matt Boermeester	1-2-2017	Penn State	N5	44
Mario Danelo	9- 2-2006	Arkansas	Away	44
Ryan Killeen	1-4-2005	Oklahoma	N20	44
David Newbury	8-27-2000	Penn State	N4	44
Don Shafer	11-30-1985	Oregon	N7	44
Steve Jordan	10-13-1984	Oregon	Away	44
Steve Jordan	10-13-1984	Oregon	Away	44
Steve Jordan	11-20-1982	UCLA	Away	44
Steve Jordan	11-21-1981	UCLA	Home	44
Glen Walker	9-25-1976	Purdue	Away	44
Chase McGrath	9-16-2017	Texas	Home	43*
Matt Boermeester	9-23-2016	Utah	Away	43
Alex Wood	10-31-2015	California	Away	43



David Buehler	10-25-2008	Arizona	Away	43
Mario Danelo	1-4-2006	Texas	N5	43
Ryan Killeen	9-28-2002	Oregon State	Home	43
David Davis	9-22-2001	Oregon	Away	43
Adam Abrams	9-19-1998	Oregon State	Home	43
Quin Rodriguez	12-31-1990	Michigan State	N3	43
Quin Rodriguez	8-31-1990	Syracuse	N4	43
Eric Hipp	10-4-1980	Arizona State	Home	43
Bob Isaacson	10-20-1956	Washington	Home	43
Michael Brown	9-29-2018	Arizona	Away	42
Alex Wood	10-17-2015	Notre Dame	Away	42
Andre Heidari	12-27-2014	Nebraska	N25	42
Jordan Congdon	9-19-2009	Washington	Away	42
David Buehler	10-4-2008	Oregon	Home	42
David Buehler	11-22-2007	Arizona State	Away	42
Ryan Killeen	1-4-2005	Oklahoma	N20	42
Ryan Killeen	12-4-2004	UCLA	Away	42
Ryan Killeen	11-27-2004	Notre Dame	Home	42
Ryan Killeen	8-30-2003	Auburn	Away	42
Ryan Killeen	9-28-2002	Oregon State	Home	42
Adam Abrams	10-18-1997	Notre Dame	Away	42
Cole Ford	1-2-1995	Texas Tech	N1	42
Quin Rodriguez	11-3-1990	California	Home	42
Quin Rodriguez	10-29-1988	Oregon State	Away	42
Quin Rodriguez	11-14-1987	Arizona	Away	42
Don Shafer	10-18-1986	Arizona State	Home	42
Steve Jordan	11-13-1982	Arizona	Away	42
Glen Walker	11-20-1976	UCLA	Home	42
Glen Walker	11-13-1976	Washington	Home	42
Chris Limahelu	1-1-1974	Ohio State	N5	42
Matt Boermeester	9-3-2016	Alabama	N27	41
Alex Wood	11-13-2015	Colorado	Away	41
Andre Heidari	9-22-2012	California	Home	41
Andre Heidari	9-24-2011	Arizona State	Away	41
Ryan Killeen	8-28-2004	Virginia Tech	N21	41
Ryan Killeen	11-16-2002	Arizona State	Home	41
David Davis	9-29-2001	Stanford	Home	41
Adam Abrams	9-23-1995	Arizona	Away	41
Cole Ford	11-7-1992	Stanford	Away	41
Steve Jordan	9-10-1983	Florida	Home	41
Steve Jordan	10-10-1981	Arizona	Home	41
Eric Hipp	1-1-1980	Ohio State	N5	41
Alex Wood	12-5-2015	Stanford	N26	40
Andre Heidari	10-26-2013	Utah	Home	40
Andre Heidari	9-22-2012	California	Home	40
David Davis	10-6-2001	Washington	Away	40
David Newbury	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	40
Adam Abrams	11-7-1998	Stanford	Away	40
Quin Rodriguez	11-18-1989	UCLA	Home	40
Quin Rodriguez	9-19-1987	Boston College	Home	40
Don Shafer	11-2-1985	Washington St.	Home	40
Frank Jordan	9-23-1978	Alabama	N9	40
Glen Walker	12-22-1975	Texas A&M	N12	40
Max Belko	9-28-1935	Montana	Home	40
Norman Anderson	10-18-1924	Oregon State	N15	40

*-Two overtimes

**-Three overtimes

N1-Cotton Bowl, Dallas, Texas

N3-Sun Bowl, El Paso, Texas

N4-Giants Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey

N5-Rose Bowl, Pasadena, California

N7-Tokyo Olympic Memorial Stadium, Tokyo, Japan

N9-Legion Field, Birmingham, Alabama

N12-Liberty Bowl Memorial Stadium, Memphis, Tennessee

N15-Multnomah Field, Portland, Oregon

N20-Pro Player Stadium, Miami, Florida

N21-FedEx Field, Landover, Maryland

N25-Qualcomm Stadium, San Diego, California

N26-Levi's Stadium, Santa Clara, California

N27-AT&T Stadium, Arlington, Texas

Field Goals of 40 Yards or More

- 23 -	- 4 -
Steve Jordan	David Newbury
	David Davis
	Alex Wood
- 13 -	
Andre Heidari	- 3 -
- 11 -	Frank Jordan
Quin Rodriguez	Chris Limahelu
Ryan Killeen	Michael Brown
- 10 -	
Adam Abrams	- 2 -
	Cole Ford
- 9 -	Mario Danelo
Don Shafer	
- 8 -	- 1 -
Glen Walker	Courtney Decius
Matt Boermeester	Norm Anderson
	Max Belko
	Bob Isaacson
- 6 -	Scott Livingston
Eric Hipp	Erik Affholter
	Grant Runnerstrum
- 5 -	Jordan Congdon
David Buehler	Joe Houston
Chase McGrath	

History of USC Field Goal Distance Record

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	YDS
Eugene Shute	11-15-1907	USS Colorado	Home	30
Courtney Decius*	11-6-1909	Occidental	Away	45
Chris Limahelu	1-1-1974	Ohio State	N5	47
Chris Limahelu	11-23-1974	UCLA	Home	50
Steve Jordan	10-16-1982	Stanford	Away	52
Steve Jordan	10-6-1984	Washington St.	Away	53
Don Shafer	11-29-1986	Notre Dame	Home	60
N5-Rose Bowl, Pasadena, California				

*-This was the only field goal that Decius kicked for USC; yet his record stood for 64 years. Decius also held the record for most field goals in a single game against USC. Playing for Los Angeles High School, Decius, on Oct. 10, 1908, kicked three field goals (then worth four points each), two from the 35-yard line near the sidelines and one from the 27-yard line. That record, tied several times, stood for 65 years, until Nov. 10, 1973, when Rod Garcia kicked four field goals for Stanford against USC.



TOP OPPONENT PERFORMANCES

OPPONENT 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES (Since 1946)

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	ATT-YARDS
Kenjon Barner	11-3-2012	Oregon	Home	38-321
Joshua Kelley	11-17-2018	UCLA	Away	40-289
Curtis Enis	8-25-1996	Penn State	N4	27-241
LaMichael James	10-30-2010	Oregon	Home	36-239
Ken Simonton	9-23-2000	Oregon State	Away	37-234
Russell White	11- 2-1991	California	Away	23-229
Reggie Brooks	11-28-1992	Notre Dame	Home	19-227
Gaston Green	11-22-1986	UCLA	Away	39-224
Marshall Faulk	9- 5-1992	San Diego St.	Away	27-220
J.R. Redmond	10-3-1998	Arizona State	Home	33-214
Jack Morris	11-16-1957	Oregon	Home	15-212
Christian McCaffery	12-5-2015	Stanford	N26	32-207
Greg Pruitt	10- 2-1971	Oklahoma	Away	16-205
Vince Young	1- 4-2006	Texas	N5	19-200
Saquon Barkley	1-2-2016	Penn State	N5	25-204
Trung Canidate	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	31-194
Josh Adams	10-21-2017	Notre Dame	Away	19-191
Tyler Murphy	9-13-2014	Boston College	Away	13-191
Josh Adams	11-26-2016	Notre Dame	Home	17-189
Jacquizz Rodgers	9-25-2008	Oregon State	Away	37-186
Eno Benjamin	10-27-2018	Arizona State	Home	29-185
Basil Mitchell	12-31-1998	TCU	N3	19-185
Vagas Ferguson	10-20-1979	Notre Dame	Away	25-185
George Woodard	12-31-1977	Texas A&M	N10	27-185
Terry Battle	10-19-1996	Arizona State	Away	30-184*
LaMichael James	10-31-2009	Oregon	Away	24-183
Marv Kendricks	11-21-1970	UCLA	Home	28-182
Mike Mosley	12-31-1977	Texas A&M	N10	20-180
Jim Morse	11-27-1954	Notre Dame	Away	19-179
Toby Gerhart	11-14-2009	Stanford	Home	29-178
Jerome Bettis	10-26-1991	Notre Dame	Away	24-178
Lee Becton	10-23-1993	Notre Dame	Away	20-177
Rueben Mayes	11- 2-1985	Washington St.	Home	27-177
Christian McCaffrey	9-17-2016	Stanford	Away	31-172
Johnathan Franklin	11-17-2012	UCLA	Away	29-171
Bobby Moore	10-24-1970	Oregon	Away	38-168
Josh Scobey	9-8-2001	Kansas State	Home	27-165
Jeremiah Masoli	10-31-2009	Oregon	Away	13-164
Justin Forsett	11-10-2007	California	Away	31-164
Kerry Porter	10-11-1986	Washington St.	Away	27-164
Khalil Tate	11-4-2017	Arizona	Home	26-161
Phil Carter	10-24-1981	Notre Dame	Away	32-161
Bryce Love	9-9-2017	Stanford	Home	17-160
Autry Denson	11-30-1996	Notre Dame	Home	33-160+
Tyler Gaffney	11-16-2013	Stanford	Home	24-158
Beno Bryant	11- 9-1991	Washington	Home	26-158
Bob Ferguson	10- 1-1960	Ohio State	Away	20-157
Johnny Lattner	11-28-1953	Notre Dame	Home	17-157
Lee Becton	11-26-1994	Notre Dame	Home	26-156
Rashard Mendenhall	1-1-2008	Illinois	N5	17-155
Stepfan Taylor	9-15-2012	Stanford	Away	27-153
Ricky Davis	11-20-1993	UCLA	Home	26-153
Leon Neal	10-28-1995	Washington	Away	31-152
Napoleon Kaufman	9- 3-1994	Washington	Home	26-152
Brent Fullwood	1- 1-1987	Auburn	N6	28-152
Marcus Houston	9-9-2000	Colorado	Home	25-150
Brandon Willis	10-5-1996	California	Home	33-150
Sam Brown	11-19-1955	UCLA	Home	27-150
Archie Griffin	1- 1-1974	Ohio State	N5	22-149
Bo Cornell	11-15-1969	Washington	Away	26-149
J.R. Redmond	11-6-1999	Arizona State	Home	34-148
John Herrnstein	9-27-1958	Michigan	Away	26-148
Royce Freeman	11-21-2015	Oregon	Away	20-147
Jerome Harrison	10-29-2005	Washington St.	Home	21-147
Adimchinobe Echemandu	9-27-2003	California	Away	34-147**
Mike Mitchell	11-9-1996	Stanford	Away	22-147
Theo Riddick	11-24-2012	Notre Dame	Home	20-146
Coy McGee	11-30-1946	Notre Dame	Away	6-146
Gaston Green	11-23-1985	UCLA	Home	28-145
Curt Warner	1- 1-1982	Penn State	N8	26-145
Bob Moore	10- 9-1971	Oregon	Home	27-145
C.J. Prosise	10-17-2015	Notre Dame	Away	19-143
Chuck Muncie	11- 1-1975	California	Away	18-143
Leroy Hoard	1- 1-1989	Michigan	N5	19-142
Zack Moss	10-14-2017	Utah	Home	20-141
Cameron Marshall	9-24-2011	Arizona State	Away	25-141
George Rogers	9-20-1980	South Carolina	Home	26-141
Mark Malone	10-14-1978	Arizona State	Away	19-139
Damien Harris	9-3-2016	Alabama	N27	9-138
Ka'Deem Carey	10-10-2013	Arizona	Home	21-138
Gaston Green	11-21-1987	UCLA	Home	30-138
Ted Narleski	11-25-1950	UCLA	Home	21-138
Zack Moss	10-20-2018	Utah	Away	25-136

Bryce Love	9-8-2018	Stanford	Away	22-136
Lexington Thomas	9-1-2018	UNLV	Home	14-136
George Montgomery	9-21-1991	Arizona State	Home	22-136
Sharmon Shah	11-19-1994	UCLA	Away	25-135
Jeff Orduna	9-19-1970	Nebraska	Home	18-135
Bill Enyart	11-11-1967	Oregon State	Away	24-135
Myles Gaskin	10-8-2015	Washington	Home	22-134
Clarence Farmer	10-7-2000	Arizona	Home	22-134
Gaston Green	11-17-1984	UCLA	Away	18-134
Neil Worden	11-28-1953	Notre Dame	Home	15-134
Fred Morrison	10- 8-1949	Ohio State	Home	18-134
Robert Livingstone	12- 6-1947	Notre Dame	Home	8-134
Autry Denson	10-18-1997	Notre Dame	Away	30-133
Nub Beamer	9-21-1957	Oregon State	N15	23-133
Alan Ameche	1- 1-1953	Wisconsin	N5	28-133
Jackie Jensen	10-30-1948	California	Home	27-132
Lloyd Merriman	10-26-1946	Stanford	Away	27-132
Demario Richard	9-26-2015	Arizona State	Away	14-131
Kevin Williams	11-23-1991	UCLA	Home	21-131
Wendell Tyler	11-28-1975	UCLA	Home	17-130
Emil Sitko	12- 6-1947	Notre Dame	Home	11-130
Jacquizz Rodgers	11-20-2010	Oregon State	Away	26-128
Corey Dillon	11-2-1996	Washington	Home	37-128
Ken Simonton	10-2-1999	Oregon State	Home	29-127
Greg Lewis	9-22-1990	Washington	Away	26-126
Waymon Clark	9-29-1973	Oklahoma	Home	26-126
Pete Pifer	10- 2-1965	Oregon State	Home	23-126
Bryce Love	12-1-2017	Stanford	N26	22-125
Jerry Faske	9-29-1950	Iowa	Home	14-124
Bob White	11- 5-1949	Stanford	Home	13-124
Kenyon Barner	11-19-2011	Oregon	Away	15-123
Kerry Carter	10-21-2000	Stanford	Away	20-123
Dino Philyaw	10- 1-1994	Oregon	Home	27-123
Allen Pinkett	10-22-1983	Notre Dame	Away	21-122
Brian Allen	10-23-1999	Stanford	Home	15-121
Bob Gladieux	11-30-1968	Notre Dame	Home	19-121
Freeman McNeil	11-24-1979	UCLA	Home	30-120
Willard Sander	10-17-1964	Ohio State	Away	29-120
Ka'Deem Carey	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	28-119
Steven Jackson	11-3-2001	Oregon State	Home	16-119+
Ell Roberson	9-8-2001	Kansas State	Home	21-119
Ki-Jana Carter	9-10-1994	Penn State	Away	17-119
Napoleon Kaufman	11-13-1993	Washington	Away	18-119
Mark Green	11-29-1986	Notre Dame	Home	24-119
Jim Shanley	9-23-1955	Oregon	Home	7-119
Eric Penick	10-27-1973	Notre Dame	Away	13-118
Skip Hicks	11-22-1997	UCLA	Away	25-117
Tim Alexander	10- 8-1994	Oregon State	Away	17-117
Skip Hicks	11-23-1996	UCLA	Away	20-116*
Darryl Clack	10-15-1983	Arizona State	Home	23-116
Larry Conjar	10-23-1965	Notre Dame	Away	25-116
Christian McCaffery	9-19-2015	Stanford	Home	26-115
Al Hunter	11-27-1976	Notre Dame	Home	21-115
Jacquizz Rodgers	10-24-2009	Oregon State	Home	20-113
Saladin McCullough	10-25-1997	Oregon	Home	18-113
Lorenzo White	1- 1-1988	Michigan State	N5	35-113
Marc Hicks	11- 9-1985	California	Away	22-113
Sterling Hinds	11-12-1983	Washington	Away	19-113
Roger Staubach	11-17-1962	Navy	Home	19-113
J.J. Arrington	10-9-2004	California	Home	21-112
Lorenzo White	9- 7-1987	Michigan State	Away	22-111
Freeman McNeil	11-22-1980	UCLA	Home	24-111
Willie West	11-11-1958	Oregon	N15	11-111
Jake Locker	10-2-2010	Washington	Home	12-110
Darnell Autry	1- 1-1996	Northwestern	N5	32-110
Allen Pinkett	10-26-1985	Notre Dame	Away	28-110
Fred Riddle	10- 4-1957	Pittsburgh	Home	17-110
Joe Heap	11-27-1954	Notre Dame	Away	17-110
Johnathan Franklin	12-4-2010	UCLA	Away	13-109
Wendell Mathis	11-19-2005	Fresno State	Home	23-109
DeShaun Foster	11-21-1998	UCLA	Away	15-109
Keith Byars	1- 1-1985	Ohio State	N5	23-109
Leroy Hoard	1- 1-1990	Michigan	N5	17-108
Mike Archie	9-11-1993	Penn State	Away	10-107
Robin Earl	11-13-1976	Washington	Home	23-107
Kermit Johnson	11-24-1973	UCLA	Home	17-107
Brandon Wimbush	10-21-2017	Notre Dame	Away	14-106
Joe Steele	11-12-1977	Washington	Away	27-106
Cal Rossi	9-21-1945	UCLA	Home	15-106
Stepfan Taylor	10-9-2010	Stanford	Away	23-104
Ki-Jana Carter	9-11-1993	Penn State	Away	21-104
Ron Rivers	12-29-1992	Fresno State	N2	19-104
Rich Borstad	10-29-1955	Minnesota	Away	25-104
Jonathan Stewart	10-27-2007	Oregon	Away	25-103
Adam Tate	12-25-2001	Utah	N19	23-103
Shaumbe Wright-Fair	10-24-1992	Washington St.	Home	15-103
Vince Coby	11-10-1979	Washington	Away	18-103
Chris Gilbert	9-17-1966	Texas	Away	14-103
Gerald Krall	10- 8-1949	Ohio State	Home	16-103
LeVante Bellamy	9-2-2017	Western Michigan	Home	9-102



Devontae Booker	10-25-2014	Utah	Away	26-102
Montel Harris	12-26-2009	Boston College	N22	23-102
Willie Hurst	10-6-2001	Washington	Away	19-102
Steve Davis	9-29-1973	Oklahoma	Home	21-102
Jack Mildren	10-2-1971	Oklahoma	Away	17-102
Toby Gerhart	11-15-2008	Stanford	Away	23-101
J.J. Young	10-16-1993	Oregon State	Home	13-101
Marion Barber	9-27-1980	Minnesota	Away	17-101
Curtis Brown	9-11-1976	Missouri	Home	20-101
Ken Grandberry	11-6-1971	Washington St.	Home	16-101
James Otis	1-1-1969	Ohio State	N5	30-101
Matt Scott	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	15-100
Clinton Polk	10-28-2006	Oregon State	Away	22-100
J.D. Stewart	11-11-1995	Oregon State	Away	12-100
Cody Carlson	9-20-1986	Baylor	Away	17-100
Tali Ena	10-6-1979	Washington St.	Home	14-100

+-One overtime

*-Two overtimes

**-Three overtimes

N2-Anaheim Stadium, Anaheim, California

N3-Sun Bowl, El Paso, Texas

N4-Giants Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey

N5-Rose Bowl, Pasadena, California

N6-Orlando Stadium, Orlando, Florida

N8-Sun Devil Stadium, Tempe, Arizona

N10-Astrrodome, Houston, Texas

N15-Multnomah Stadium, Portland, Oregon

N19-Sam Boyd Stadium, Las Vegas, Nevada

N22-AT&T Park, San Francisco, California

N26-Levi's Stadium, Santa Clara, California

N27-AT&T Stadium, Arlington, Texas

OPPONENT 200-YARD PASSING GAMES

(Since 1946)

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	C- A	YDS	TD
Joe Theismann	11-28-1970	Notre Dame	Home	33-58	526	2
Mike Bercovici	10-4-2014	Arizona State	Home	27-45	510	5
Derek Anderson	12-6-2003	Oregon State	Home	34-60	485	2
B.J. Denker	10-10-2013	Arizona	Home	28-44	464	4
Nick Foles	10-1-2011	Arizona	Home	41-53	425	4
Josh Rosen	11-18-2017	UCLA	Home	35-52	421	3
Tommy Maddox	11-17-1990	UCLA	Away	26-40	409	3
Vernon Adams Jr.	11-21-2015	Oregon	Away	20-25	407	6
Erik Wilhelm	10-29-1988	Oregon State	Away	37-62	406	3
Tim Rattay	11-26-1999	Louisiana Tech	Home	35-68	405	3
Ron VanderKelen	1-1-1963	Wisconsin	N5	33-48	401	2
Anu Solomon	10-11-2014	Arizona	Away	43-72	395	1
Sam Keller	9-15-2007	Nebraska	Away	36-54	389	2
John Barnes	11-21-1992	UCLA	Away	16-28	385	3
Frank Seurer	9-24-1983	Kansas	Home	26-38	385	1
Joey Harrington	10-14-2000	Oregon	Home	28-42	382	4
Tommy Armstrong	12-27-2014	Nebraska	N25	32-51	381	3
Steven Montez	11-11-2017	Colorado	Away	27-49	376	2
Chris Miller	10-4-1986	Oregon	Home	33-48	376	2
Dan White	11-12-1994	Arizona	Home	26-48	370	3
Matt Scott	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	27-50	369	3
Jason Palumbis	10-13-1990	Stanford	Away	30-45	360	3
Drew Bledsoe	11-24-1992	Washington St.	Home	24-37	358	2
Joe Montana	11-25-1978	Notre Dame	Home	20-41	358	2
Cade McNown	11-23-1996	UCLA	Away	29-47	356	1*
Ryan Leaf	9-13-1997	Washington St.	Home	21-40	355	3
Jon Denton	10-4-1997	UNLV	Home	26-45	354	1
Nick Foles	11-13-2010	Arizona	Away	32-48	353	3
Ian Book	11-24-2018	Notre Dame	Home	22-39	352	2
Anu Solomon	11-7-2015	Arizona	Home	31-46	352	3
Ty Paine	11-7-1970	Washington St.	N13	25-47	352	1
Taylor Kelly	9-28-2013	Arizona State	Away	23-34	351	3
Cody Pickett	10-19-2002	Washington	Home	34-61	350	3
Sam Keller	10-1-2005	Arizona State	Away	26-45	347	2
Luke Falk	11-1-2014	Washington St.	Away	38-57	346	2
Todd Hons	10-15-1983	Arizona State	Home	21-29	346	1
Mark Butterfield	11-4-1995	Stanford	Home	29-47	345	1
Gardner Minshew	9-21-2018	Washington St.	Home	37-52	344	3
Steve Stenstrom	10-15-1994	Stanford	Away	27-44	344	1
Tyler Huntley	10-20-2018	Utah	Away	22-29	341	4
Sonny Sixkiller	10-17-1970	Washington	Home	30-57	341	1
Luke Falk	9-29-2017	Washington St.	Away	34-51	340	2
Jack Thompson	10-9-1976	Washington St.	N18	26-50	340	1
Jason Fife	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	20-45	336	2
Steve Schnur	1-1-1996	Northwestern	N5	23-39	336	0
Davis Webb	10-27-2016	California	Home	34-53	333	2
Andrew Luck	10-29-2011	Stanford	Home	29-40	330	3**
Derek Anderson	11-6-2004	Oregon State	Away	22-51	330	2
Sean Canfield	10-24-2009	Oregon State	Home	30-43	329	3
Brett Hundley	11-22-2014	UCLA	Away	22-31	326	3
Bob Garrett	11-7-1953	Stanford	Home	20-31	324	3
Ryan Nassib	9-8-2012	Syracuse	N23	30-46	322	2
Paul Pinegar	12-19-2005	Fresno State	Home	27-45	317	4
Troy Aikman	11-19-1988	UCLA	Away	32-48	317	2
Jason Gesser	10-5-2002	Washington St.	Away	23-44	315	2+
Ryan Leaf	10-26-1996	Washington St.	Away	27-44	314	2
Brian Johnson	11-7-1987	Stanford	Home	24-41	312	2
Jason Johnson	10-27-2001	Arizona	Away	23-43	311	1
Jake Locker	10-2-2010	Washington	Home	24-40	310	1
Jack Trudeau	9-7-1985	Illinois	Away	21-37	310	1
Chad Henne	1-1-2007	Michigan	N5	26-41	309	2
Timmy Chang	9-13-2003	Hawaii	Home	32-54	306	2
Andrew Walter	10-4-2003	Arizona State	Away	19-38	305	1
Marcus Mariota	11-3-2012	Oregon	Home	20-23	304	4
Ross Bowers	9-23-2017	California	Away	22-50	303	1
Tom Tunnicliffe	11-13-1982	Arizona	Away	21-38	303	3
Jake Luton	11-3-2018	Oregon State	Away	31-45	301	1
Brock Huard	10-31-1998	Washington	Home	33-62	301	1
Gary Beban	11-18-1967	UCLA	Home	16-24	301	2
Sam Ehlinger	9-16-2017	Texas	Home	21-40	298	2*
Matt Berry	9-6-2003	BYU	Home	27-39	297	1
Andrew Walter	11-16-2002	Arizona State	Home	24-49	297	1
Danny O'Neil	10-9-1993	Oregon	Away	24-36	297	1
Art Schlichter	1-1-1980	Ohio State	N5	11-21	297	1
Jim Plunkett	10-11-1989	Stanford	Home	25-37	296	2
Zach Maynard	10-13-2011	California	Away	25-43	294	0
Mark Rypien	10-6-1984	Washington St.	Away	22-43	293	4
Tom Tunnicliffe	10-10-1981	Arizona	Home	21-37	293	1
Matt Kegel	11-1-2003	Washington St.	Home	28-47	291	1
Todd Husak	10-23-1999	Stanford	Home	20-32	290	2
Mike Tomczak	1-1-1985	Ohio State	N5	24-37	290	1
Darron Thomas	10-30-2010	Oregon	Home	19-32	288	4
Alex Brink	9-30-2006	Washington St.	Away	26-46	287	2
Tony Graziani	10-1-1994	Oregon	Home	16-31	287	1
Aaron Garcia	9-30-1989	Washington St.	Away	18-28	287	2
Bill Musgrave	10-10-1987	Oregon	Away	22-32	287	3
Mike McCoy	12-30-1993	Utah	N2	23-40	286	1
Rusty Lisch	10-20-1979	Notre Dame	Away	14-32	286	0
Kevin Hogan	9-6-2014	Stanford	Away	22-30	285	0

TOP OPPONENT PERFORMANCES

Andrew Luck	10-9-2010	Stanford	Away	20-24	284	3	Ryan Nassib	9-17-2011	Syracuse	Home	25-37	230	1
Steve Beuerlein	11-29-1986	Notre Dame	Home	18-27	285	4	Richard Brehaut	12-4-2010	UCLA	Away	20-35	230	1
Steve Birnbaum	11-13-1999	Washington St.	Away	24-42	284	2	Pat Barnes	10-5-1996	California	Home	19-31	229	2
Ryan Kealy	10-11-1997	Arizona State	Away	21-34	281	3	Danny O'Neil	10-10-1992	Oregon	Home	22-32	229	1
Cary Conklin	10-15-1988	Washington	Home	19-30	280	3	Steven Threet	11-6-2010	Arizona St.	Home	24-40	228	3
Kevin Hogan	9-19-2015	Stanford	Home	18-23	279	2	Chris Weinke	9-26-1998	Florida State	Away	13-31	228	2
Jared Goff	11-13-2014	California	Home	29-47	279	3	Dan White	10-2-1993	Arizona	Away	14-21	228	3
Drew Olson	12-4-2004	UCLA	Away	20-34	278	1	Josh Rosen	11-28-2015	UCLA	Home	19-37	227	1
Jared Goff	10-31-2015	California	Away	23-31	277	2	DeShone Kizer	10-17-2015	Notre Dame	Away	15-24	227	2
Sean Mannion	11-1-2013	Oregon State	Away	26-45	277	1	Michael Kennedy	9-16-1978	Oregon	Away	20-36	227	1
Jake Plummer	10-19-1996	Arizona State	Away	26-44	277	2*	Adam Weber	9-18-2010	Minnesota	Away	26-29	224	2
Thad Busby	9-6-1997	Florida State	Home	19-39	276	0	Rich Bashore	11-24-1979	UCLA	Home	9-17	224	2
Herb Singleton	10-20-1973	Oregon	Home	18-36	276	0	Sam Ehlinger	9-15-2018	Texas	Away	15-33	223	2
A.J. Feeley	9-25-1999	Oregon	Away	23-39	275	3**	Brock Osweiler	10-1-2011	Arizona State	Away	25-32	223	2
Jim Plunkett	10-10-1970	Stanford	Away	19-31	275	1	Ryan Kealy	11-6-1999	Arizona State	Home	18-29	223	1
Brady Quinn	11-25-2006	Notre Dame	Home	22-45	274	3	Joe Ferguson	9-9-1972	Arkansas	N14	19-36	223	0
Cody Pickett	10-25-2003	Washington	Away	22-42	274	1	Jeff Tuel	9-25-2010	Washington St.	Away	24-37	222	1
Drew Bledsoe	10-12-1991	Washington St.	Away	19-30	274	1	Jeremiah Masoli	10-31-2009	Oregon	Away	19-31	222	1
Darryl Clark	1-1-2009	Penn State	N5	21-36	273	2	Ed Singler	10-3-1981	Oregon State	Away	17-26	222	0
Steve Stenstrom	11-7-1992	Stanford	Away	23-39	273	1	Kyle Boller	10-12-2002	California	Home	20-30	221	2
Mike Bercovici	9-26-2015	Arizona State	Away	23-44	272	0	DeShone Kizer	11-26-2016	Notre Dame	Home	17-32	220	2
Dennis Dummit	11-21-1970	UCLA	Home	14-30	272	3	Craig Morton	10-24-1964	California	Home	18-28	219	2
John Huarte	11-28-1964	Notre Dame	Home	18-29	272	1	Dave Shinskie	12-26-2009	Boston College	N22	14-33	218	1
John Navarre	1-1-2004	Michigan	N5	27-46	271	1	Wayne Cook	11-19-1994	UCLA	Away	15-23	218	2
Troy Williams	9-23-2016	Utah	Away	21-34	270	2	Gary Kerkorian	11-10-1951	Stanford	Home	18-32	218	1
Ray McKown	10-27-1951	TCU	Home	17-25	270	2	Aaron Rodgers	9-27-2003	California	Away	18-25	217	2**
Bryant Moniz	9-2-2010	Hawaii	Away	18-37	269	1	George Malauulu	11-14-1992	Arizona	Home	13-25	217	1
Troy Williams	10-14-2017	Utah	Home	16-27	267	1	J. Torchio	11-1-1980	California	Home	14-23	217	1
Vince Young	1-4-2006	Texas	N5	30-40	267	0	Everett Golson	11-24-2012	Notre Dame	Home	15-26	217	0
Aaron Rodgers	10-9-2004	California	Home	29-34	267	1	Derek Carr	12-21-2013	Fresno State	N19	29-54	216	2
Steve Stenstrom	10-19-1991	Stanford	Home	15-31	267	3	Matt Boohar	11-4-1989	Oregon State	Home	25-32	216	1
Drew Olson	11-22-2003	UCLA	Home	21-39	266	2	John Brodie	11-5-1955	Stanford	Home	14-26	216	2
Todd Husak	11-8-1997	Stanford	Home	18-36	266	2	Josh Nunes	9-15-2012	Stanford	Away	20-41	254	2
Rich Campbell	10-27-1979	California	Away	24-40	266	1	Connor Halliday	9-7-2013	Washington St.	Home	26-38	215	0
Darron Thomas	11-19-2011	Oregon	Away	23-35	265	1	Chris Rowland	11-17-1973	Washington	Away	16-37	214	2
Justin Vedder	9-27-1997	California	Away	18-34	265	2	Marcus Arroyo	9-1-2001	San Jose State	Home	20-37	213	0
Brady Quinn	10-15-2005	Notre Dame	Away	19-35	264	1	Cade McNown	11-22-1997	UCLA	Home	15-24	213	3
Steve Stenstrom	11-6-1993	Stanford	Home	29-49	263	1	Isaiah Stanback	10-7-2006	Washington	Home	17-38	212	2
Matt Moore	11-28-2006	Oregon State	Away	21-32	262	1	Cory Paus	11-18-2000	UCLA	Away	13-22	212	2
Greg Frey	9-29-1990	Ohio State	Away	19-36	262	2	Mike Pawlawski	11-2-1991	California	Away	13-25	212	3
Kevin Prince	11-26-2011	UCLA	Home	21-33	261	0	Pat Barnes	10-7-1995	California	Away	16-33	211	1
Jared Goff	11-9-2013	California	Away	35-49	260	3	Alfred Jenkins	10-20-1984	Arizona	Home	21-39	211	1
Jimmy Clausen	10-17-2009	Notre Dame	Away	24-43	260	2	Jordan Webb	10-20-2012	Colorado	Home	18-35	210	0
John Elway	11-8-1980	Stanford	Away	26-37	260	1	Damon Huard	10-28-1995	Washington	Away	17-25	209	0
Manny Wilkins	10-28-2017	Arizona State	Away	17-29	259	1	Brett Hundley	11-30-2013	UCLA	Home	18-27	208	0
Jake Browning	11-12-2016	Washington	Away	17-36	259	1	Taylor Graham	8-29-2013	Hawaii	Away	16-41	208	1
Paul Hornung	11-26-1955	Notre Dame	Home	10-22	259	1	Scott Schroeder	9-1-2012	Hawaii	Home	24-39	208	1
Jarius Jackson	10-16-1999	Notre Dame	Away	19-30	257	1	Guy Benjamin	11-5-1977	Stanford	Home	19-38	208	0
Marcus Arroyo	9-23-2000	San Jose State	Home	20-41	256	0	Dick Norman	10-24-1959	Stanford	Home	16-32	207	2
Coley O'Brien	11-26-1966	Notre Dame	Home	21-31	255	3	Mike Pawlawski	11-3-1990	California	Home	19-29	205	2
Trace McSorley	1-2-2017	Penn State	N5	18-29	254	4	Kent Myers	9-10-2016	Utah State	Home	25-37	204	1
Travis Wilson	10-24-2015	Utah	Home	24-36	254	2	Brad Banks	1-2-2003	Iowa	N20	15-36	204	1
Harvey Winn	10-9-1971	Oregon	Home	17-25	253	3	Ryan McCann	11-20-1999	UCLA	Home	17-29	204	0
Dennis Dummit	11-22-1969	UCLA	Home	21-43	253	1	Jonathan Smith	11-3-2001	Oregon State	Home	20-33	203	1+
Bob Zastrow	9-24-1949	Navy	Home	17-39	252	2	Chuck Clements	9-16-1995	Houston	Home	24-34	203	1
Grady Benton	10-31-1992	Arizona State	Away	21-36	251	1	John Hankinson	9-17-1965	Minnesota	Home	17-29	203	1
Tyler Hansen	11-4-2011	Colorado	Away	17-37	250	2	Isaiah Stanback	10-22-2005	Washington	Away	14-18	201	1
Colt Brennan	9-3-2005	Hawaii	Away	21-32	250	1	Ed Blount	10-11-1986	Washington St.	Away	13-20	201	2
Drew Brees	8-30-1998	Purdue	Home	30-52	248	2	Blair Kiel	11-27-1982	Notre Dame	Home	18-35	201	0
Kerry Collins	9-10-1994	Penn State	Away	18-33	248	2	Sonny Sixkiller	11-13-1971	Washington	Away	12-37	201	1
Troy Taylor	10-14-1989	California	Away	13-31	248	2							
Jeff George	9-4-1989	Illinois	Home	27-43	248	2							
Scott Richardson	9-15-1979	Oregon State	Away	16-34	248	0							
Jim Plunkett	10-12-1968	Stanford	Away	14-30	247	1							
Isaiah Williams	1-1-2008	Illinois	N5	21-35	245	0							
Trent Edward	11-5-2005	Stanford	Home	21-35	245	1							
Tom Flick	11-10-1979	Washington	Away	18-28	245	1							
Jason White	1-4-2005	Oklahoma	N20	24-36	244	2							
Justin Vedder	10-10-1998	California	Home	28-39	244	1							
Joe Roth	11-1-1975	California	Away	19-31	244	2							
Keith Smith	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	15-23	243	1							
Tony Sacca	9-15-1990	Penn St.	Home	16-34	243	1							
Mike Power	9-19-1987	Boston College	Home	20-32	243	1							
Matt Kegel	11-11-2000	Washington St.	Home	12-32	242	1							
Jeff Watson	9-24-1994	Baylor	Home	14-33	241	0							
Erik Wilhelm	10-3-1987	Oregon State	Home	19-30	241	2							
Rudy Carpenter	11-22-2007	Arizona State	Away	21-30	240	1							
Nick Foles	12-5-2009	Arizona	Home	22-40	239	2							
Troy Taylor	11-15-1986	California	Home	19-27	239	0							
John Elway	10-16-1982	Stanford	Away	27-41	239	1							
Jordan Wynn	9-10-2011	Utah	Home	23-46	238	1							
Tom Sparlin	10-8-1966	Washington	Home	14-33	238	2							
Jake Locker	9-19-2009	Washington	Away	21-35	237	0							
Chad Davis	10-14-1995	Washington St.	Home	30-48	236	1							
Steve Dils	11-4-1978	Stanford	Away	23-38	236	1							
Tommy Maddox	11-23-1991	UCLA	Home	22-32	236	1							
Tony Sacca	9-14-1991	Penn St.	Home	18-40	236	1							
Cary Conklin	10-7-1989	Washington	Home	20-42	236	1							
Akili Smith	10-25-1997	Oregon	Home	14-22	235	0							
John Elway	10-15-1981	Stanford	Home	23-45	235	2							
Brett Hundley	11-17-2012	UCLA	Away	22-30	234	1							
Willie Tuitama	10-13-2007	Arizona	Home	30-43	233	0							
Justin Holland	9-11-2004	Colorado State	Home	19-35	233	0							
Khalil Tate	9-29-2018	Arizona	Away	16-33	232	2							
Jim Haluska	10-14-1955	Wisconsin	Home	12-21	232	1							
Akili Smith	10-24-1998	Oregon	Away	15-28	231	1							

+One overtime

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N14-War Memorial Stadium, Little Rock, Arkansas

N18-Kingdome, Seattle, Washington

N19-Sam Boyd Stadium, Las Vegas, Nevada

N20-Pro Player Stadium, Miami, Florida

N22-AT&T Park, San Francisco, California

N23-MetLife Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey

N25-Qualcomm Stadium, San Diego, California



OPPONENT 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

(Since 1946)

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	NO.	YDS	TD
J.J. Stokes	11-21-1992	UCLA	Away	6	263	3
Austin Hill	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	10	259	0
Troy Walters	11-8-1997	Stanford	Home	11	209	2
Mike Hass	12-6-2003	Oregon State	Home	8	208	0
Jim Morse	11-26-1955	Notre Dame	Home	5	208	1
Jordan Lasley	11-18-2017	UCLA	Home	10	204	3
Jaalen Strong	10-4-2014	Arizona State	Home	10	202	3
Darren Green	9-24-1983	Kansas	Home	7	197	0
Jim Cope	10-8-1966	Washington	Home	11	195	2
Collin Johnson	9-16-2017	Texas	Home	7	191	0*
Chris Godwin	1-2-2017	Penn State	N5	9	187	2
Mark Harris	11-11-1995	Stanford	Home	10	187	1
Kris Haines	11-25-1978	Notre Dame	Home	9	179	1
Kealoha Pilares	9-2-2010	Hawaii	Away	5	176	3
DeRonnie Pitts	10-21-2000	Stanford	Away	13	176	0
Scott Miller	11-17-1990	UCLA	Away	8	175	2
Chris Walsh	10-19-1991	Stanford	Home	9	174	2
Larry Parker	11-28-1970	Notre Dame	Home	7	174	1
Cris Carter	1-1-1985	Ohio State	N5	9	172	1
Richard Dice	11-15-1994	Arizona	Home	9	171	1
Derek Hagan	10-4-2003	Arizona State	Away	8	170	0
Kurt Altenberg	11-30-1963	UCLA	Home	8	166	0
Damon Williams	10-4-1997	UNLV	Home	11	165	0
Terry Smith	9-14-1991	Penn St.	Home	10	165	1
Juwann Winfree	11-11-2017	Colorado	Away	5	163	2
Pat Richter	1-1-1963	Wisconsin	N5	11	163	1
Derek Hagan	10-1-2005	Arizona State	Away	10	162	0
Keenan Allen	10-13-2011	California	Away	13	160	0
Jack Snow	11-28-1964	Notre Dame	Home	10	158	1
Brian Slater	10-15-1988	Washington	Home	6	155	3
John Ross	11-12-2016	Washington	Away	8	154	1
Justin Armour	10-15-1994	Stanford	Away	8	153	0
Dave Nuttall	11-18-1967	UCLA	Home	7	152	1
Dameane Douglas	10-10-1998	California	Home	13	151	0
Robb Thomas	10-29-1988	Oregon State	Away	9	151	2
Jim Seymour	11-26-1966	Notre Dame	Home	11	150	2
Jim McElroy	11-23-1996	UCLA	Away	8	149	0*
Keenan Howry	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	7	147	2
Sam Morley	11-7-1953	Stanford	Home	8	147	1
Jeff Maehl	9-30-2010	Oregon	Home	8	145	3
D'Wayne Bates	1-1-1996	Northwestern	N5	7	145	0
Easop Winston	9-21-2018	Washington St.	Home	6	143	2
Andre Riley	10-7-1989	Washington	Home	8	143	1
Freddie Mitchell	11-18-2000	UCLA	Away	4	140	1
Henry Lusk	12-30-1993	Utah	N2	6	140	1
Rick Wilkes	11-21-1970	UCLA	Home	11	140	1
Justin McCullum	11-5-2005	Stanford	Home	9	138	1
David Anderson	9-11-2004	Colorado State	Home	9	137	0
DeVonte Christopher	9-10-2011	Utah	Home	11	136	1
Anthony Hancock	9-13-1980	Tennessee	Away	4	135	1
Reggie Williams	10-19-2002	Washington	Home	7	134	1
Darryl Clack	10-15-1983	Arizona State	Home	5	134	1
Billy Joe DuPree	9-30-1972	Michigan State	Home	8	134	0
Freddie Scott	9-10-1994	Penn State	Away	6	133	1
Lenzie Jackson	10-11-1997	Arizona State	Away	7	132	1
Will Fuller	10-17-2015	Notre Dame	Away	3	131	1
James Devers	11-15-1986	California	Home	5	131	0
Tony Hunter	10-20-1979	Notre Dame	Away	5	131	0
Gary Williams	1-1-1980	Ohio State	N5	3	131	1
Steve Rivera	11-1-1975	California	Away	9	131	0
Jim Krieg	10-17-1970	Washington	Home	11	131	0
Rich Gunnell	12-26-2009	Boston College	N22	6	130	1
Bill Earley	10-6-1951	Washington	Away	6	130	1
Isaiah Hodgins	11-3-2018	Oregon State	Away	8	129	0
Britain Covey	10-24-2015	Utah	Home	7	129	2
Allen Stark	11-26-1999	Louisiana Tech	Home	5	129	0
Jojo Townsell	11-24-1979	UCLA	Home	5	129	2
Brian Treggs	10-14-1989	California	Away	3	129	2
Tom Gatewood	11-28-1970	Notre Dame	Home	10	128	0
Joe Halahuni	10-24-2009	Oregon State	Home	9	127	0
Sammie Stroughter	10-28-2006	Oregon State	Away	8	127	0
Ed McCaffrey	10-13-1990	Stanford	Away	7	127	2
Jim Hodge	9-9-1972	Arkansas	N14	7	127	0
Marcus Williams	11-11-2000	Washington St.	Home	4	126	1
Keenan Howry	10-14-2000	Oregon	Home	8	126	0
Phillip Bobo	10-6-1990	Washington St.	Home	6	126	1
Josh Huff	11-3-2012	Oregon	Home	6	162	2
Sonny Shackelford	10-7-2006	Washington	Home	9	125	0
J.J. Lasley	11-7-1992	Stanford	Away	9	125	1
Greg Salas	9-2-2010	Hawaii	Away	8	124	0
Luke Powell	9-29-2001	Stanford	Home	4	124	1
Tim Stallworth	9-30-1989	Washington St.	Away	7	122	1
Kyle Williams	10-28-2017	Arizona State	Away	7	121	1
Rashed Davis	9-23-2000	San Jose State	Home	6	121	0
Marcus Williams	11-13-1999	Washington St.	Away	7	121	1
Dennis Northcutt	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	8	121	1
J.J. Stokes	11-19-1994	UCLA	Away	6	121	1
Brad Anderson	11-13-1982	Arizona	Away	5	121	1
Jerome Pathon	11-1-1997	Washington	Away	8	120	1

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Randy Vataha	10-10-1970	Stanford	Away	10	120	0
Mike Hass	11-6-2004	Oregon State	Away	8	119	0
Robert Prescott	10-2-1999	Oregon State	Home	7	119	1
Isaac Jones	8-30-1998	Purdue	Home	10	119	0
Nelson Rosario	11-26-2011	UCLA	Home	7	118	0
Chris McGaha	11-7-2009	Arizona State	Away	9	118	1
Tony Hartley	10-24-1998	Oregon	Away	6	118	1
Cary Taylor	10-2-1993	Arizona	Away	4	118	1
Bobby Grayson	9-26-1981	Oklahoma	Home	4	118	0
Golden Tate	10-17-2009	Notre Dame	Away	8	117	2
Scott Lunde	11-1-2003	Washington St.	Home	10	117	0
Jeremiah Cockheran	9-13-2003	Hawaii	Home	10	117	1
Bob Brasher	10-31-1992	Arizona State	Away	6	117	1
Robert Gaines	11-11-1978	Washington	Home	3	117	1
Terrence Miller	11-13-2010	Arizona	Away	7	116	0
Ross Dickerson	9-3-2005	Hawaii	Away	5	116	0
Tony Hartley	9-25-1999	Oregon	Away	7	116	0**
Geoff DeLapp	10-30-1971	California	Away	11	116	0
Roland Kirkby	10-29-1949	Washington	Away	5	116	2
Steve Breaston	1-1-2007	Michigan	N5	7	115	1
Reggie Williams	10-25-2003	Washington	Away	9	115	1
Mike Levenseller	10-9-1976	Washington St.	N18	7	115	0
Shaquille Evans	11-17-2012	UCLA	Away	8	114	0
Daniel Coats	9-6-2003	BYU	Home	8	114	1
Vern Burke	11-15-1963	Oregon State	Home	6	114	3
Bryce Bobo	11-11-2017	Colorado	Away	10	113	0
ArDarius Stewart	9-3-2016	Alabama	N27	4	113	2
Kevin McKenzie	10-26-1996	Washington St.	Away	7	113	0
Butch Williams	10-12-1991	Washington St.	Away	8	113	0
Paul Skansi	11-10-1979	Washington	Away	9	113	1
Ken Margerum	11-4-1978	Stanford	Away	7	113	1
Gene Washington	10-12-1968	Stanford	Away	6	113	0
Toney Clemons	11-4-2011	Colorado	Away	5	112	2
Michael Bumpus	9-30-2006	Washington St.	Away	11	112	0
Peter Warrick	9-26-1998	Florida State	Away	6	112	1
David Williams	9-7-1985	Illinois	Away	8	112	0
Milt Jackson	11-29-1986	Notre Dame	Home	4	111	1
George Farmer	11-22-1969	UCLA	Home	8	111	1
Ron Cook	11-7-1953	Stanford	Home	4	111	1
Kanawai Noa	9-29-2017	California	Away	6	110	0
Aaron Williams	11-10-1979	Washington	Away	5	110	0
Doug Donley	1-1-1980	Ohio State	N5	4	110	0
Rhema McKnight	11-25-2006	Notre Dame	Home	6	109	1
Jeff Graham	9-29-1990	Ohio State	Away	5	109	1
Lonzell Hill	11-16-1985	Washington	Away	9	109	1
Rod Wellington	10-4-1975	Iowa	Away	5	109	1
John Brady	11-13-1971	Washington	Away	5	109	1
Braylon Edward	1-1-2004	Michigan	N5	10	107	0
Kevin McKenzie	9-13-1997	Washington St.	Home	5	107	1
Royce Pollard	9-2-2010	Hawaii	Away	7	106	0
Phillip Lindsay	10-8-2016	Colorado	Home	6	105	1
Christian McCaffery	12-5-2015	Stanford	N26	4	105	1
Bralon Addison	11-21-2015	Oregon	Away	5	105	1
H. Klopfenstein	11-7-1970	Washington St.	N13	7	105	0
Marcus Sales	9-8-2012	Syracuse	N23	8	104	2
James Newson	12-6-2003	Oregon State	Home	10	104	1
Jonathan Makonnen	9-27-2003	California	Away	7	104	1**
Eric Guliford	10-21-1991	Arizona State	Home	4	104	1
Ken Margerum	10-13-1979	Stanford	Home	6	104	1
Gary Chambers	9-26-2015	Arizona State	Away	5	103	0
Jaalen Strong	9-28-2013	Arizona State	Away	7	103	0
Keith Poole	10-19-1996	Arizona State	Away	7	103	1*
Eric Bjornsen	9-3-1994	Washington	Home	3	103	1
Napoleon Kaufman	9-3-1994	Washington	Home	3	103	0
Pat Newman	9-16-1989	Utah State	Home	5	103	0
Brad Muster	11-7-1987	Stanford	Home	6	103	1
De'Mornay Pierson-El	12-27-2014	Nebraska	N25	8	102	1
Griff Whalen	10-29-2011	Stanford	Home	6	102	0**
Zach Miller	10-16-2004	Arizona State	Home	8	102	0
Bobby Wade	10-7-2000	Arizona	Home	4	102	1
Willy Tate	10-9-1993	Oregon	Away	6	102	0
Geoff McArthur	10-9-2004	California	Home	7	101	1
Reggie Williams	10-6-2001	Washington	Away	5	101	1
Matt Bouza	10-27-1979	California	Away	7	101	1
Paul Beery	9-27-1975	Purdue	Home	6	101	0
Tim Patrick	9-23-2016	Utah	Away	6	100	1
Todd Heap	11-6-1999	Arizona State	Home	7	100	1
Danny Greene	11-10-1984	Washington	Home	7	100	0
Randy Vataha	10-11-1969	Stanford	Home	4	100	0

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N25-Qualcomm Stadium, San Diego, California

N26-Levi's Stadium, Santa Clara, California

N27-AT&T Stadium, Arlington, Texas

TOP OPPONENT PERFORMANCES

OPPONENT 8 OR MORE RECEPTIONS

(Since 1946)

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	NO.	YDS	TD
Braxton Cleman	10-19-2002	Washington	Home	15	69	0
Keenan Allen	10-13-2011	California	Away	13	160	0
DeRonnie Pitts	10-21-2000	Stanford	Away	13	176	0
Dameane Douglas	10-10-1998	California	Home	13	151	0
Mike Thomas	10-13-2007	Arizona	Home	12	83	0
Dane Looker	10-31-1998	Washington	Home	12	84	0
Theo Howard	11-18-2017	UCLA	Home	11	81	0
DeVonte Christopher	9-10-2011	Utah	Home	11	136	1
Michael Floyd	11-27-2010	Notre Dame	Home	11	86	1
Michael Bumpus	9-20-2006	Washington St.	Away	11	112	0
Troy Walters	11-8-1997	Stanford	Home	11	209	2
Jim Cope	10- 8-1966	Washington	Home	11	195	2
Damon Williams	9-4-1997	UNLV	Home	11	165	0
Pat Richter	1- 1-1963	Wisconsin	N5	11	163	1
Jim Seymour	11-26-1966	Notre Dame	Home	11	150	2
Jim Krieg	10-17-1970	Washington	Home	11	131	0
Geoff DeLapp	10-30-1971	California	Away	11	116	0
Rick Wilkes	11-21-1970	UCLA	Home	11	140	1
Trevon Bradford	11-3-2018	Oregon State	Away	10	63	0
Jordan Lasley	11-18-2017	UCLA	Home	10	204	3
Bryce Bobo	11-11-2017	Colorado	Away	10	113	0
Bryce Bobo	10-8-2016	Colorado	Home	10	83	1
Jaelen Strong	10-4-2014	Arizona State	Home	10	202	3
Austin Hill	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	10	259	0
David Thomas	1- 4-2006	Texas	N5	10	88	0
Derek Hagan	10- 1-2005	Arizona State	Away	10	162	0
Mark Harris	11-11-1995	Stanford	Home	10	187	1
Terry Smith	9-14-1991	Penn St.	Home	10	165	1
Jack Snow	11-28-1964	Notre Dame	Home	10	158	1
Tom Gatewood	11-28-1970	Notre Dame	Home	10	128	0
Randy Vataha	10-10-1970	Stanford	Away	10	120	0
Isaac Jones	8-30-1998	Purdue	Home	10	119	0
Scott Lunde	11-1-2003	Washington St.	Home	10	117	0
Jeremiah Cockheran	9-13-2003	Hawaii	Home	10	117	1
Braylon Edward	1-1-2004	Michigan	N5	10	107	0
James Newson	12-6-2003	Oregon State	Home	10	104	1
Chad Owens	9-13-2003	Hawaii	Home	10	98	2
Glyn Milburn	10-13-1990	Stanford	Away	10	90	0
Laviska Shenault	10-13-2018	Colorado	Home	9	72	1
Chris Godwin	1-2-2017	Penn State	N5	9	187	2
Demetris Robertson	10-27-2016	California	Home	9	92	0
Melquise Stovall	10-27-2016	California	Home	9	87	1
David Richards	11-7-2015	Arizona	Home	9	86	1
Jacob Sannon	9-12-2015	Idaho	Home	9	79	0
Chris Harper	11-13-2014	California	Home	9	60	1
Tyler Baker	11-1-2014	Washington St.	Away	9	89	0
Vince Mayle	11-1-2014	Washington St.	Away	9	83	0
Nelson Spruce	10-18-2014	Colorado	Home	9	69	1
Ty Montgomery	9-6-2014	Stanford	Away	9	83	0
Davante Adams	12-21-2013	Fresno State	N19	9	73	1
Keenan Allen	9-22-2012	California	Home	9	93	0
Jamal Miles	9-24-2011	Arizona State	Away	9	55	1
Chris McGaha	11-7-2009	Arizona State	Away	9	118	1
Joe Halahunu	10-24-2009	Oregon State	Home	9	127	0
Robby Parris	10-17-2009	Notre Dame	Away	9	92	0
Sonny Shackelford	10-7-2006	Washington	Home	9	125	0
Justin McCullum	11- 5-2005	Stanford	Home	9	138	1
David Anderson	9-11-2004	Colorado State	Home	9	137	0
Kris Haines	11-25-1978	Notre Dame	Home	9	179	1
Chris Walsh	10-19-1991	Stanford	Home	9	174	2
Cris Carter	1- 1-1985	Ohio State	N5	9	172	1
Richard Dice	11-12-1994	Arizona	Home	9	171	1
Robb Thomas	10-29-1988	Oregon State	Away	9	151	2
Steve Rivera	11- 1-1975	California	Away	9	131	0
J. J. Lasley	11- 7-1992	Stanford	Away	9	125	1
Reggie Williams	10-25-2003	Washington	Away	9	115	1
Paul Skansi	11-10-1979	Washington	Away	9	113	1
Lonzell Hill	11-16-1985	Washington	Away	9	109	1
John Simon	11-26-1999	Louisiana Tech	Home	9	75	0
Mike Farr	11-19-1988	UCLA	Away	9	75	0
Bill Fritz	9-25-1965	Wisconsin	Away	9	72	1
Brian Morris	10-25-1986	Stanford	Away	9	42	0
Isaiah Hodgins	11-3-2018	Oregon State	Away	8	129	0
Shun Brown	11-4-2017	Arizona	Home	8	78	1
John Ross	11-12-2016	Washington	Away	8	154	1
Johnny Jackson	11-7-2015	Arizona	Home	8	89	0
De'Mornay Pierson-El	12-27-2014	Nebraska	N25	8	102	1
Kenny Lawler	11-13-2014	California	Home	8	86	0
Paul Richardson	11-23-2013	Colorado	Away	8	88	1
Bryce Treggs	11-9-2013	California	Away	8	39	0
Shaquelle Evans	11-17-2014	UCLA	Away	8	114	0
Marcus Sale	9-8-2012	Syracuse	N23	8	104	2
Jeremiah Ostrowski	9-1-2012	Hawaii	Home	8	34	0
Nick Provo	9-17-2011	Syracuse	Home	8	85	0
T.J. Simpson	11-6-2010	Arizona State	Home	8	95	0
Jeff Maehl	9-30-2010	Oregon	Home	8	145	3
Doug Baldwin	10-9-2010	Stanford	Away	8	98	2
Jared Karstetter	9-25-2010	Washington St.	Away	8	87	2
Greg Salas	9-2-2010	Hawaii	Away	8	124	0

Golden Tate	10-17-2009	Notre Dame	Away	8	117	2
Gino Simone	9-26-2009	Washington St.	Home	8	83	0
Sammie Stroughter	10-28-2006	Oregon State	Away	8	127	0
Limas Sweed	1- 4-2006	Texas	N5	8	65	0
Mike Hass	11-6-2004	Oregon State	Away	8	119	0
Zach Miller	10-16-2004	Arizona State	Home	8	102	0
Mike Hass	12-6-2003	Oregon State	Home	8	208	0
Scott Miller	11-17-1990	UCLA	Away	8	175	2
Derek Hagan	10-4-2003	Arizona State	Away	8	170	0
Kurt Altenberg	11-30-1963	UCLA	Home	8	166	0
Justin Armour	10-15-1994	Stanford	Away	8	153	0
Jim McElroy	11-23-1996	UCLA	Away	8	149	0*
Sam Morley	11- 7-1953	Stanford	Home	8	147	1
Andre Riley	10- 7-1989	Washington	Home	8	143	1
Billy Joe DuPree	9-30-1972	Michigan State	Home	8	134	0
Keenan Howry	10-14-2000	Oregon	Home	8	126	0
Dennis Northcutt	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	8	121	1
Jerome Pathon	11-1-1997	Washington	Away	8	120	1
Daniel Coats	9-6-2003	BYU	Home	8	114	1
Butch Williams	10-12-1991	Washington St.	Away	8	113	0
David Williams	9- 7-1985	Illinois	Away	8	112	0
George Farmer	11-22-1969	UCLA	Home	8	111	1
Ken MacAfee	10-22-1977	Notre Dame	Away	8	97	2
Jay Dobyns	10-20-1984	Arizona	Home	8	92	0
Bob Conrad	10-15-1966	Stanford	Away	8	92	0
Jeff Kolberg	10- 3-1970	Oregon State	Home	8	88	0
Bobby Wade	10-27-2001	Arizona	Away	8	84	0
Jim Mandich	1- 1-1970	Michigan	N5	8	79	0
Bryant Thomas	10-14-1995	Washington St.	Home	8	76	0
Louis Holland	1- 1-1963	Wisconsin	N5	8	72	0
Derek Loville	10- 4-1986	Oregon	Home	8	70	1
Greg Ainsworth	11-15-1997	Oregon State	Away	8	69	0
Oliver Hillmon	10-30-1976	California	Home	8	67	0
Dan Doornink	10- 9-1976	Washington St.	N18	8	62	0
Pat Chaffey	10-29-1988	Oregon State	Away	8	56	0
James Jordan	11-26-1999	Louisiana Tech	Home	8	51	3
Latin Berry	10- 4-1986	Oregon	Home	8	50	0
E.J. Jones	9-24-1983	Kansas	Home	8	13	0

*-Two overtimes

N5-Rose Bowl, Pasadena, California

N18-Kingdome, Seattle, Washington

N19-Sam Boyd Stadium, Las Vegas, Nevada

N23-MetLife Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey

N25-Qualcomm Stadium, San Diego, California



OPPONENT LONGEST FIELD GOALS

(Since 1946)

PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	YDS
Rod Garcia	11-10-1973	Stanford	Home	59
Mike Langford	11- 8-1975	Stanford	Home	55
Andy Phillips	10-24-2015	Utah	Home	53
Alexis Serna	10-28-2006	Oregon State	Away	53
Matt Payne	9-6-2003	BYU	Home	53
Kyle Brindza	11-24-2012	Notre Dame	Home	52
Matt Payne	9-6-2003	BYU	Home	52
John Langeloh	12-31-1990	Michigan State	N3	52
Rich Spangler	1- 1-1985	Ohio State	N5	52
Luis Zendejas	10-30-1982	Arizona State	Away	52
Kieron Walford	9-15-1979	Oregon State	Away	52
Frank Corral	11-25-1977	UCLA	Home	52
Rod Garcia	11-10-1973	Stanford	Home	52
Tyler Fredrickson	9-27-2003	California	Away	51**
Gregg McCallum	9-28-1991	Oregon	Away	51
Blake Mazza	9-21-2018	Washington St.	Home	50
Steve McLaughlin	10- 2-1993	Arizona	Away	50
Chris Mangold	10- 3-1981	Oregon State	Away	50
Joe Danelo	11- 4-1972	Washington St.	N11	50
Drew Dunning	11-1-2003	Washington St.	Home	49
Eric Abrams	11- 7-1992	Stanford	Away	49
Alfredo Velasco	11-18-1989	UCLA	Home	49
Mike Gillette	1- 2-1989	Michigan	N5	49
Jeff Jaeger	11-16-1985	Washington	Away	49
John Lee	11-17-1984	UCLA	Away	49
Alan Duncan	9-13-1980	Tennessee	Away	49
Rod Garcia	10- 7-1972	Stanford	Away	49
Ron Miller	11- 4-1967	California	Away	49
Richard Kenney	10- 3-1964	Michigan State	Away	49
Joe Perkowski	10-14-1961	Notre Dame	Away	49
JJ Molson	11-17-2018	UCLA	Away	48
Justin Kahut	10-24-2009	Oregon State	Home	48
Justin Kahut	10-24-2009	Oregon State	Home	48
Paul Martinez	9-24-2005	Oregon	Away	48
Nick Folk	11-13-2004	Arizona	Home	48
Jared Siegel	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	48
Drew Dunning	10-5-2002	Washington St.	Away	48+
Van Tiffin	12-28-1985	Alabama	N7	48
Randy Pratt	10-29-1983	California	Away	48
Kenneth Naber	11- 8-1980	Stanford	Away	48
Alexis Serna	10-28-2006	Oregon State	Away	47
Bjorn Merten	11-23-1996	UCLA	Away	47*
Bjorn Merten	11-20-1993	UCLA	Home	47
Eric Abrams	11- 6-1993	Stanford	Home	47
Louis Perez	11-21-1992	UCLA	Away	47
Eric Abrams	11- 7-1992	Stanford	Away	47
Gary Coston	11-14-1987	Arizona	Home	47
Mike Johnston	11-27-1982	Notre Dame	Home	47
Brett Weber	10-10-1981	Arizona	Home	47
Chuck Nelson	11-15-1980	Washington	Home	47
Joe Unis	11-25-1978	Notre Dame	Home	47
Joe Cooper	10-28-1978	California	Home	47
Jim Breech	10-30-1976	California	Home	47
Justin Yoon	11-24-2018	Notre Dame	Home	46
Cameron Dicker	9-15-2018	Texas	Away	46
Cameron Dicker	9-15-2018	Texas	Away	46
Conrad Ukropina	9-19-2015	Stanford	Home	46
Erik Folk	11-12-2011	Washington	Home	46
Erik Folk	9-19-2009	Washington	Away	46
David Pino	1- 4-2006	Texas	N5	46
Matt Payne	9-18-2004	BYU	Away	46
Sean Keel	10-27-2001	Arizona	Away	46
Nathan Villegas	9-25-1999	Oregon	Away	46**
Mike Richey	10-31-1992	Arizona State	Away	46
Tim Williams	9-29-1990	Ohio State	Away	46
John Biskup	8-31-1990	Syracuse	N4	46
Alfredo Velasco	11-19-1988	UCLA	Away	46
David Sweeney	11- 7-1987	Stanford	Home	46
Rich Spangler	1- 1-1985	Ohio State	N5	46
John Lee	11-17-1984	UCLA	Away	46
Juan Betanzos	9-29-1984	LSU	Home	46
Jeff Jaeger	11-12-1983	Washington	Away	46
Chuck Nelson	11-14-1981	Washington	Away	46
Steve Robbins	11-16-1974	Washington	Home	46
Randy Wersching	10-31-1970	California	Home	46
Lucas Havrisik	10-28-2017	Arizona	Home	45
Jason Bondzio	10-13-2007	Arizona	Home	45
Tom Schneider	11-12-2005	California	Away	45
Mike Barth	11-4-2000	Arizona State	Away	45*
Nick Lentz	11-1-1997	Washington	Away	45
Sebastian Villareal	9-21-1996	Houston	Away	45
Jarvis Van Dyke	9-24-1994	Baylor	Home	45
Pat O'Morrow	10-23-1989	Ohio State	Home	45
Chris Siambekos	9-13-1986	Illinois	Home	45
John Carney	11-24-1984	Notre Dame	Home	45
John Carney	11-24-1984	Notre Dame	Home	45
John Lee	11-20-1982	UCLA	Away	45
Rod Garcia	10-16-1971	Stanford	Home	45
Erik Powell	9-29-2017	Washington St.	Away	44

TOP OPPONENT PERFORMANCES

Casey Skowron	11-7-2015	Arizona	Home	44
John Bonano	10-27-2012	Arizona	Away	44
Nico Grassu	9-25-2010	Washington St.	Away	44
Jared Siegel	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	44
Tommy Thompson	10-10-1992	Oregon	Home	44
Brian Lowe	9-19-1987	Boston College	Home	44
Kirk Dennis	10-10-1987	Oregon	Away	44
Randy Pratt	10-29-1983	California	Away	44
Don Martin	10-21-1967	Washington	Away	44
R. Van Raaphorst	10-19-1963	Ohio State	Home	44
Lucas Havrisik	10-28-2017	Arizona	Home	43
Josh Grant	9-2-2017	Western Michigan	Home	43
Cameron Van Winkle	11-12-2016	Washington	Away	43
Garrett Rivas	1- 1-2007	Michigan	N5	43
Nick Folk	9-23-2006	Arizona	Away	43
Justin Medlock	12- 3-2005	UCLA	Home	43
Justin Medlock	12- 3-2005	UCLA	Home	43
Justin Medlock	12-4-2004	UCLA	Away	43
Mark McDonald	10-9-1999	Arizona	Away	43
Matt Belden	10- 1-1994	Oregon	Home	43
Kevin Pendergast	10-23-1993	Notre Dame	Away	43
Derek Mahoney	12-29-1992	Fresno State	N2	43
Doug Brien	10-17-1992	California	Home	43
John Langeloh	9- 7-1987	Michigan State	Away	43
John Carney	10-26-1985	Notre Dame	Away	43
John Lee	11-17-1984	UCLA	Away	43
Mike Lansford	11-11-1978	Washington	Home	43
Fred Cox	11-18-1961	Pittsburgh	Away	43
Davis Price	10-8-2016	Colorado	Home	42
Conrad Ukropina	9-17-2016	Stanford	Away	42
Conrad Ukropina	9-19-2015	Stanford	Home	42
Andy Phillips	10-26-2013	Utah	Home	42
Tyler Hadden	8-29-2013	Hawaii	Away	42
Brandon Pace	8-28-2004	Virginia Tech	N21	42
Patrick Brougham	9-14-2002	Colorado	Away	42
Sebastian Villareal	9-21-1996	Houston	Away	42
John Lee	11-20-1982	UCLA	Away	42
Scott Blanton	9-19-1992	Oklahoma	Away	42
Bruce Kallmeyer	9-24-1983	Kansas	Home	42
Chris Mangold	10- 3-1981	Oregon State	Away	42
Chuck Male	10-20-1979	Notre Dame	Away	42
Effren Herrera	11-24-1973	UCLA	Home	42
Rod Garcia	11-10-1973	Stanford	Home	42
Andrew Furney	9-7-2013	Washington St.	Home	41
Erik Folk	10-2-2010	Washington	Home	41
Tyler Cope	9-5-2009	San Jose State	Home	41
Brandon Walker	11-29-2008	Notre Dame	Home	41
Matt Evensen	10-27-2007	Oregon	Away	41
Jared Siegel	10-26-2002	Oregon	Away	41
Jared Brite	9-8-2001	Kansas State	Home	41
Ryan Cesca	9-30-2000	Oregon State	Away	41
Louis Perez	11-23-1991	UCLA	Home	41
John McCallum	10- 7-1989	Washington	Home	41
Bobby Raymond	9-10-1983	Florida	Home	41
Braden Beck	11- 7-1964	Stanford	Away	41
Zane Gonzalez	10-1-2017	Arizona State	Home	40
Scott Enos	9-2-2010	Hawaii	Away	40
Evan Knudson	10-25-2003	Washington	Away	40
Bjorn Merten	11-23-1996	UCLA	Away	40*
Travis Hanson	10- 3-1992	Washington	Away	40
Jason Hanson	10- 6-1990	Washington St.	Home	40
John Langeloh	1- 1-1988	Michigan State	N5	40
Mike Johnston	11-27-1982	Notre Dame	Home	40
Steve Hicks	10-14-1978	Arizona State	Away	40
Cam Bonifay	9-22-1973	Georgia Tech	Away	40
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Bob Stein	9-21-1968	Minnesota	Away	40

+ -One overtime

* -Two overtimes

** -Three overtimes

N2-Anaheim Stadium, Anaheim, California

N3-Sun Bowl, El Paso, Texas

N4-Giants Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey

N5-Rose Bowl, Pasadena, California

N7-Aloha Stadium, Honolulu, Hawai'i

N11-Husky Stadium, Seattle, Washington

N21-FedEx Field, Landover, Maryland



USC VS. HEISMAN WINNERS

John Lujack – 1947

Notre Dame 38, USC 7

Irish quarterback Lujack completed 5-of-7 passes for 59 yards and no TDs, but it was his interception and 37-yard return of a Trojan pass that led to a score. Eventual national champion Notre Dame knocked off No. 3-ranked USC, 38-7, at the Coliseum.

Leon Hart – 1949

Notre Dame 32, USC 0

Hart scored on a 36-yard pass for Notre Dame's first score as the top-ranked Irish rolled to a 32-0 win in South Bend over the No. 17 Trojans. It was USC's worst loss in the series at the time.

John Lattner – 1953

Notre Dame 48, USC 14

Lattner set then-series records by scoring 4 touchdowns and rushing for 157 yards in No. 2 Notre Dame's 48-14 victory over No. 20 USC in the Coliseum.

Paul Hornung – 1956

USC 28, Notre Dame 20

Hornung, who played quarterback during his Heisman Trophy season, switched to halfback against USC because of painful injuries to both thumbs. His 95-yard kickoff return and PAT in the third quarter drew the Irish to within a point, 21-20. Hornung accounted for 215 all-purpose yards in the Coliseum game.

John Huarte – 1964

USC 20, Notre Dame 17

Huarte completed 18-of-29 passes and threw a touchdown pass in leading top-ranked Notre Dame to a 17-0 lead. But unranked USC rallied to score 20 second-half points to upset the Irish, 20-17, in Los Angeles. It was Ara Parseghian's first loss as Irish coach.

Gary Beban – 1967

USC 21, UCLA 20

With the national championship and a trip to the Rose Bowl on the line, Beban threw for 301 yards and 2 touchdowns for the top-ranked Bruins. The effort wasn't enough as O.J. Simpson, USC's 1968 Heisman winner, scored on a 64-yard TD to give the No. 4-ranked Trojans a 21-20 win.

Jim Plunkett – 1970

Stanford 24, USC 14

Plunkett ended No. 4-ranked USC's hopes of a fifth straight Rose Bowl trip by completing 19-of-31 passes for 274 yards and a score in No. 12-ranked Stanford's 24-14 win at Palo Alto. The loss ended USC's 25-game unbeaten string in regular season play.

Archie Griffin – 1974

USC 18, Ohio State 17

In the 1975 Rose Bowl, Griffin fumbled twice and was held to 75 yards and no TDs, as USC rallied to take an 18-17 win. The victory over the No. 3-ranked Buckeyes gave USC its ninth national title.

George Rogers – 1980

USC 23, South Carolina 13

Rogers broke free for a 34-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter in Los Angeles as part of a 141-yard rushing game. But it was Marcus Allen, USC's 1981 Heisman Trophy winner, who rushed for 104 yards and 2 touchdowns to give USC a 23-13 win in its home opener.

Tim Brown – 1987

Notre Dame 26, USC 15

Brown was held to 4 catches for 46 yards, but it was his 5-yard run in the second quarter that put the Irish up 17-3 in South Bend. Notre Dame's seventh Heisman winner rushed 5 times for 41 yards in the Irish's 26-15 win.

Jason White – 2004

USC 55*, Oklahoma 19

In the BCS Championship Game in the 2005 Orange Bowl, in which top-ranked USC dominated No. 2 Oklahoma, 55-19, to win its 11th national championship, White was 24-of-36 passing for 244 yards and 2 touchdowns, but threw 3 costly interceptions. The game marked the first time that a pair of Heisman winners (USC's Matt Leinart was the 2004 winner) faced each other in a game.

**Win later vacated due to NCAA penalty*



USC ON SPORTS ILLUSTRATED COVERS



1.	March 21, 1955	Parry O'Brien (track and field)	85.	December 17, 2001	Randy Johnson (baseball)**
2.	November 26, 1956	USC-UCLA crowd (football)	86.	February 11, 2002	Willie McGinest (football)
3.	March 15, 1959	Phil Hill (auto racing)	87.	April 28, 2003	Carson Palmer (football)
4.	July 27, 1959	John Wayne (football)	88.	June 9, 2003	Allyson Felix (track and field)
5.	August 31, 1959	Parry O'Brien (track and field)	89.	July 7, 2003	Mark Prior (baseball)
6.	September 7, 1959	Alex Olmedo (tennis)	90.	December 1, 2003	Matt Leinart (football)
7.	April 25, 1960	Dallas Long (track and field)	91.	January 12, 2004	Matt Leinart (football)
8.	August 14, 1961	Murray Rose (swimming)	92.	January 2004	Matt Leinart (football)###
9.	October 23, 1961	Jon Arnett (football)	93.	June 21, 2004	Barry Zito (baseball)
10.	March 19, 1962	John Rudometkin (basketball)	94.	July 26, 2004	Carson Palmer (football)
11.	December 17, 1962	Frank Gifford (football)	95.	August 16, 2004	Matt Leinart (football)
12.	August 26, 1963	Dennis Ralston (tennis)	96.	September 27, 2004	Frank Gifford, O.J. Simpson, Al Davis (football)*
13.	September 2, 1963	Ron Fairly (baseball)	97.	December 13, 2004	Reggie Bush (football)
14.	September 12, 1966	Rudy Bukich (football)	98.	January 10, 2005	Matt Leinart (football)
15.	February 20, 1967	Bob Seagren (track and field)	99.	January 2005	Reggie Bush (football)##
16.	October 2, 1967	John McKay (football)*	100.	March 21, 2005	Cheryl Miller (basketball)
17.	November 20, 1967	O.J. Simpson (football)	101.	April 11, 2005	Randy Johnson (baseball)
18.	October 14, 1968	O.J. Simpson (football)	102.	August 15, 2005	Reggie Bush (football)
19.	July 14, 1969	O.J. Simpson (football)	103.	October 10, 2005	Carson Palmer (football)
20.	August 25, 1969	O.J. Simpson (football)	104.	October 17, 2005	USC team (football)
21.	September 29, 1969	Jimmy Jones (football)	105.	November 14, 2005	Troy Polamalu (football)
22.	November 24, 1969	Mike Garrett (football)	106.	December 5, 2005	Keyshawn Johnson (football)
23.	December 22, 1969	Tom Seaver (baseball)**	107.	Dec. 28, 2005-Jan. 2, 2006	Reggie Bush, Matt Leinart (football)
24.	August 10, 1970	Mike Garrett (football)	108.	May 8, 2006	Reggie Bush (football)
25.	October 1, 1973	Anthony Davis (football)	109.	May 29, 2006	Carson Palmer (football)
26.	October 29, 1973	O.J. Simpson (football)	110.	July 24, 2006	Reggie Bush (football)
27.	November 5, 1973	Anthony Davis (football)	111.	August 21, 2006	John David Booty, Sam Baker, Ryan Kalil (football)
28.	September 16, 1974	O.J. Simpson (football)	112.	March 19, 2007	Taj Gibson (basketball)
29.	December 8, 1974	Anthony Davis (football)*	113.	July 30, 2007	Reggie Bush (football)
30.	July 7, 1975	Fred Lynn (baseball)	114.	August 20, 2007	Emmanuel Moody, C.J. Gable, Chauncey Washington (football)
31.	July 21, 1975	Tom Seaver (baseball)	115.	September 24, 2007	John David Booty (football)
32.	January 26, 1976	Lynn Swann (football)	116.	November 12, 2007	Junior Seau (football)
33.	January 3, 1977	Clarence Davis (football)	117.	November 19, 2007	O.J. Mayo (basketball)
34.	June 27, 1977	Tom Seaver (baseball)	118.	December 31, 2007	Taj Gibson, Reggie Bush, John David Booty, Junior Seau, O.J. Mayo
35.	November 21, 1977	Sam Cunningham (football)	119.	March 24, 2008	O.J. Mayo (basketball)
36.	October 2, 1978	Charles White (football)	120.	August 11, 2008	Brian Cushing, Mark Sanchez, Rey Mauluga (football)*
37.	June 11, 1979	Gus Williams (basketball)	121.	March 23, 2009	DeMar DeRozan (basketball)
38.	September 10, 1979	Charles White (football)	122.	April 27, 2009	Brian Cushing, Rey Mauluga, Clay Matthews (football)
39.	January 7, 1980	Ricky Bell (football)	123.	May 25, 2009	Randy Johnson (baseball)
40.	October 20, 1980	Paul Westphal (basketball)	124.	July 13-20, 2009	Tom Seaver (baseball)
41.	February 2, 1981	Rod Martin (football)	125.	November 2, 2009	Reggie Bush (football)
42.	July 27, 1981	Tom Seaver (baseball)	126.	January 25, 2010	Mark Sanchez, Reggie Bush (football)
43.	October 5, 1981	Marcus Allen (football)	127.	September 6, 2010	Mark Sanchez (football)
44.	April 19, 1982	Craig Stadler (golf)	128.	March 21, 2011	Jio Fontan (basketball)
45.	December 13, 1982	Marcus Allen (football)	129.	September 5, 2011	Clay Matthews (football)
46.	April 18, 1983	Tom Seaver (baseball)	130.	September 19, 2011	Mark Sanchez (football)
47.	July 9, 1984	Jeff Float (swimming)	131.	May 14, 2012	Junior Seau (football)
48.	March 18, 1985	Fred Lynn (baseball)	132.	Aug. 20, 2012	Matt Barkley (football)
49.	November 21, 1985	Cheryl Miller (basketball)	133.	July 20, 2015	Amy Rodriguez (soccer)
50.	December 16, 1985	Marcus Allen (football)	134.	Aug. 3, 2015	Pete Carroll (football)
51.	June 29, 1987	Scott Simpson (golf)	135.	Sept. 14, 2015	Cody Kessler (football)
52.	November 2, 1987	Roy Smalley (baseball)	136.	July 25/Aug. 1, 2016	Allyson Felix (track and field)
53.	November 30, 1987	Erik Affholter (football)	137.	March 20, 2017	Elijah Stewart (basketball)
54.	April 4, 1988	Mark McGwire (baseball)	138.	August 14-21, 2017	Sam Darnold (football)
55.	November 28, 1988	Rodney Peete (football)	139.	March 12, 2018	Cheryl Miller (basketball)
56.	September 3, 1990	Todd Marinovich (football)	140.	July 30, 2018	JT Daniels (football)
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59.	September 6, 1993	Junior Seau (football)	#Extra edition ##Commemorative issue ###Collector's Edition		
60.	June 27, 1994	O.J. Simpson (football)			
61.	Summer 1995	Shawn Walters (football)***			
62.	August 28, 1995	Keyshawn Johnson (football)			
63.	July 22, 1996	Lisa Leslie (basketball)*			
64.	Summer 1996	Brad Otton (football)***			
65.	September 2, 1996	Marcus Allen (football)*			
66.	January 27, 1997	Mike Holmgren (football)			
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74.	September 14, 1998	Mark McGwire (baseball)#			
75.	October 5, 1998	Mark McGwire (baseball)			
76.	October 7, 1998	Mark McGwire (baseball)##			
77.	December 21, 1998	Mark McGwire (baseball)**			
78.	January 18, 1999	Keyshawn Johnson (football)			
79.	September 27, 1999	Chris Claiborne (football)			
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THE TROJAN HERITAGE

(From 1951 until his death in 2003, Mal Florence covered sports in Southern California—particularly USC football—for the Los Angeles Times. But he observed Trojan football since he watched his first game as a youngster in 1934. He then enrolled at USC during World War II, where he even played halfback sparingly in 1946. He was inducted into the USC Athletic Hall of Fame's media wing in 1995.

(In 1980, he wrote a book about USC's football history, "The Trojan Heritage." Updated excerpts appear below.)

The Trojan football tradition. It means many things:

~The teams. The Thundering Herd teams of the late 1920s and 1930s, the war babies of the mid-1940s, the "I" formation-styled national champions of the 1960s and 1970s, and the current rebirth in the 2000s.

~The Rose Bowl, USC's second home.

~The tailback. The slot that has evolved into *the position* in college football. A glamour figure with names like Morley Drury, The Noblest Trojan of Them All in the late 1920s, and Russ Saunders, Gus Shaver, Orv Mohler, Cotton Warburton, Amby Schindler, Grenny Lansdell, Frank Gifford, Jon Arnett, Mike Garrett, O.J. Simpson, Anthony Davis, Ricky Bell, Charles White, Marcus Allen and Reggie Bush.

~The coaches who have made an indelible impression on the game. Gloomy Gus Henderson bringing national recognition to USC; Howard Jones earning national respect with his Rose Bowl-winning teams and national champions; John McKay altering the concept of offensive football with his innovative "I" formation; John Robinson achieving that awesome balance of power running and productive passing, blended with stifling defense; and Pete Carroll, whose enthusiasm and competitiveness drove an aggressive defense and innovative offense.

~The rivalries. The one with Notre Dame that began in 1926 and has grown into the most prestigious intersectional confrontation in the country. Then there's the one with UCLA, in which the outcome not only rewards the winner with bragging rights for the city, but also usually means a Rose Bowl berth.

~The games. The 16-14 victory over Notre Dame at South Bend in 1931 and the ensuing ticker tape parade in Los Angeles for the conquering heroes. The stunning 7-3 victory over Duke in the 1939 Rose Bowl. O.J. Simpson's climactic 64-yard TD run that beat UCLA, 21-20, in 1967... and on and on.

~The Coliseum. USC's home since 1923. Here the Trojan horse, Traveler, gallops around the track as the USC band stirs the crowd with its famous fight song, Fight On.

All of this is USC football. There's nothing like it.

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In 1944 Harry C. Lillie, an attorney, supplied missing information on USC's first football team in 1888, eight years after the small Methodist school was founded in 1880.

USC was undefeated in 1888 in a two-game schedule. How fitting this was for a school which has had almost unparalleled success in athletics—football, of course, and 70 men's NCAA championships, more by far than any other university.

Lillie, a 125-pound end on the first ragtag USC team, said:

"The only available opposition was a club team which carried the name of Alliance. Our first game was Nov. 14, 1888, right at the university and we won by a score of 16-0.

"In those days a touchdown scored four points, with the play which now corresponds to the conversion after touchdown adding two more points. A field goal scored five points, a safety scored two.

"The second game against Alliance was played more than two months later on Jan. 19, 1889, uptown on a vacant field bordered by Grand, Hope, Eighth and Ninth streets. The club team had improved considerably and we managed to score only a single touchdown to win, 4-0."

Frank Suffel and Henry H. Goddard were playing coaches for this first team which was literally put together by quarterback Arthur Carroll. He volunteered to make the pants for the team. Appropriately, Carroll later became a tailor in Riverside.

The growth of USC and its football program coincides with the growth of Los Angeles, which had been founded only 99 years before the cornerstone was laid at the university in 1880 in an uncultivated mustard field. At the time, Los Angeles still retained characteristics of its earlier pueblo days.

American football at the turn of the century was a combination of rugby, soccer and pure mayhem. The rules provided for a playing field of 110 yards in length, exclusive of the end zones, and games were played in 45-minute halves with a 10-minute intermission. Intentional tackling below the waist, a fundamental and coached procedure now, was judged a foul then, just like unnecessary roughness.

USC fielded another team in 1889 (without a coach) and encountered

its first collegiate opponent, St. Vincent's, now known as Loyola Marymount. The Methodists or Wesleyans (the name Trojans would come later) thrashed St. Vincent's, 40-0, and then beat a Pasadena club team which featured the dreaded Flying Wedge, 26-0.

So far, so good. A pair of two-game seasons and USC was undefeated, untied and unscored upon.

Then, because of student apathy and some financial problems, USC didn't have a team in 1890.

A pattern developed in which USC, still coachless, would play a one- to four-game schedule—without much success—until 1897 when Lewis Freeman became the school's first non-playing coach. Not only did he outfit the team in sharp, new uniforms—turtle-necked shirts with "USC" inscribed on the front, knee-length pants and ankle-high shoes—he produced a winning team with a then-representative schedule.

USC, under Freeman, won five of its six games, losing only to the San Diego YMCA, 18-0. Freeman then moved on, but the Methodists continued their winning ways, recording a 5-1-1 record in 1898—losing to and being tied by Los Angeles High School.

It was during the late 1890s and the early 1900s that USC developed a rivalry with neighboring Occidental and Pomona, the early stand-ins for Notre Dame, California and Stanford.

The year 1904 marked the arrival of Harvey Holmes, the first salaried USC coach. He stayed four years, compiled a record of 19 wins, five losses and three ties and expanded USC's schedule to 10 games in 1905, including a first meeting with Stanford. USC lost that game, 16-0, as one of the West Coast's most prestigious rivalries began. The teams wouldn't meet again in football until 1918.

Major college teams do not schedule too many "breathers" today because of financial considerations. But USC wasn't thinking of the gate when it padded its 6-3-1 record in 1905 with victories over the likes of the National Guard, Whittier Reform and the Alumni.

USC continued to play football in 1908 under coach Bill Traeger. In 1909 and 1910 the team was under a coach who was to become famous in another sport.

Dean Bartlett Cromwell was called the "Maker of Champions" during his 40 years at USC—track and field champions, that is. A legendary figure in track and field, Cromwell's teams won 12 NCAA titles, including nine in a row (1935-1943).

As a football coach, Cromwell had only modest success with 3-1-2 and 7-0-1 records in 1909 and 1910 and later a three-year record of 11-7-3 when he served as USC's football coach from 1916 through 1918.

Between Cromwell's first and second terms as football coach (along with a two-year tenure by Ralph Glaze, 1914-15), USC decided to move up in class athletically.

Rugby, as played by California and Stanford, was USC's game in 1911 and a school spokesman said, "We are looking for a foothold on an athletic ladder that will carry us, we hope, to a level of competition to the proportion of our ambitious, restless, growing young institution."

The results were disastrous. USC was badly outclassed for three years (1911-13) by more experienced rugby teams. It suffered financial reverses as well.

But all was not lost in this departure from American football. The Methodist school that was founded in a mustard field got a nickname that would identify it and its students and alumni glamorously for years to come.

Nicknames were popular in the early 1900s, but the school didn't care much to be called Methodists or Wesleyans. So Owen R. Bird, a sportswriter for the Los Angeles Times, came up with a nickname that was to endure. It was Bird's belief that "owing to the terrific handicaps under which the athletes, coaches and managers of the university were laboring and against the overwhelming odds of larger and better equipped rivals, the name 'Trojan' suitably fitted the players."

When USC began playing football again in 1914, it also resumed its relationship with Occidental and Pomona. But the Trojans wanted to be known beyond the limited confines of Bovard Field so they began to schedule "big-time" foes such as St. Mary's, Oregon and California.

USC split with California in 1915, winning, 28-10, and losing 23-21. Another traditional series was inaugurated.

World War I put a damper on USC's athletic ambitions and Troy played a restricted schedule from 1917 through 1919.

USC had some outstanding players during its formative years, athletes such as Elwin Caley (whose 107-yard punt return in 1902 on a 110-yard field still stands as a school record), Hal Paulin, Arthur Hill, Roy Allan, Court Decius, Fred Kelly, Fred Teschke, Rabbit Malette, Tank Campbell, Turk Hunter, Dan McMillan and Herb Jones. But the Trojans wouldn't become nationally recognized in football until the 1920s.



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Elmer C. (Gloomy Gus) Henderson has the best winning percentage, 45-7 (.865), of any coach in USC's history. More importantly, Henderson, in his six seasons at the school (1919-1924), achieved national recognition for USC and established the format for successful teams of the future. Under Henderson, USC recorded some historic firsts:

- Appearing in the Rose Bowl in 1923 and beating Penn State, 14-3.
- Winning 10 games in a season twice, along with an undefeated season in 1920.

- Moving out of Bovard Field, where a turnaway crowd would be 10,000, to play in the vast Memorial Coliseum, where crowds of 70,000 would become routine for Trojan games.

Henderson was the first USC coach to recruit aggressively and he persuaded talented Southern California athletes to stay home and attend USC rather than to pursue their education at California or Stanford.

He also was an on-the-field innovator. His spread formations were copied by coaches and some elements of his offense are used today by college teams and the NFL.

"Gloomy Gus" was a well-known cartoon character of the era and Henderson was saddled with that nickname by Los Angeles Times sportswriter, Paul Lowry, because of the way he poor-mouthed the Trojans' prospects before a game.

USC had a 4-1 record in 1919, went undefeated in 1920 and was 10-1 in 1921 and again in 1922, two seasons in which the Trojans outscored their opposition, 598 to 83.

USC had a 6-2 record in 1923 which included the first football game ever to be played in the Coliseum—a 23-7 win over Pomona on October 6—and a later Coliseum game, a 13-7 loss to Cal that attracted 72,000 fans and sent a signal to Easterners that West Coast football had *really* caught on.

Henderson had a 9-2 record in his last season at USC in 1924, a year that featured intersectional games with Syracuse and Missouri, both of which the Trojans won.

During his tenure at USC, Henderson recruited and developed such outstanding players as Chet Dolley, Harold Galloway, Johnny Leadingham, Charley Dean, Roy (Bullet) Baker, Gordon Campbell, Andy Toolen, Lowell Lindley, Hobo Kincaid, Indian Newman, Hobbs Adams, Hayden Phythian, Holley Adams, Norman Anderson, Otto Anderson, Johnny Hawkins, Hank Lefebvre, Eddie Leahy, Manuel Laraneta, Butter Gorrell, Jeff Cravath and Leo Calland.

Two of Henderson's sophomores on the 1924 squad, guard Brice Taylor and quarterback Mort Kaer, would later become USC's first All-Americans. Henderson is credited with recruiting Morley Drury, who would become known as the "Noblest Trojan of Them All."

Despite his record, Henderson was fired after the 1924 season, some said because he went 0-5 against California during his tenure.

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College football history might have been changed radically if Notre Dame's Knute Rockne had become USC's coach following Henderson's release before the 1925 season. Such an idea came close to becoming a reality. Gwynn Wilson, the USC graduate manager in the 1920s, remembers:

"Rockne came to USC for a football seminar and we saw a lot of him. We didn't have a coach and we talked to Rock about the job. He agreed to come, subject to getting a release from Notre Dame. Mrs. Rockne had fallen in love with Southern California. We had hopes but they (Notre Dame) talked him into staying. Maybe it was better that Rock stayed there and we got Jones."

Howard Harding Jones. The Headman. Responsible for bringing national recognition to USC when the East and Midwest were considered the twin citadels of college football.

His approach to the game was straight-forward yet intricate—power football, the single wing. Opponents often said they knew where the Trojans, under Jones, were coming, but still couldn't stop them. Jones' teams became known as the Thundering Herd, running (seldom passing) roughshod over some of the nation's best teams.

Before Jones came to USC, the school had not produced an All-American or won a national championship. During his 16 years as USC's coach, Jones developed 19 All-Americans, won national championships in 1928, 1931, 1932 and 1939, had undefeated seasons in 1928, 1932 and 1939, won eight Pacific Coast Conference titles and was undefeated in five appearances in the Rose Bowl. His overall record was 121-36-13 (.750) and his teams had seven seasons in which they won nine or more games.

It was during Jones' regime, in 1926, that the USC-Notre Dame rivalry began, a rivalry now esteemed as the most prestigious intersectional series in the country.

If it had not been for the persuasiveness of a young bride in 1925, the Trojan-Irish series may never have been.

Wilson and his bride, Marion, got on the Sunset Limited train to Lincoln where Notre Dame was going to play Nebraska. Mission: a USC-Notre Dame home-and-home series. Wilson didn't get to meet with Rockne though, until after the game when they all got on a train to Chicago.

"He told me that he couldn't meet USC because Notre Dame was

traveling too much," Wilson said. "I thought the whole thing was off but as Rock and I talked, Marion was with Mrs. Rockne, Bonnie, in her compartment. Marion told Bonnie how nice Southern California was and how hospitable the people were.

"Well, when Rock went back to the compartment, Bonnie talked him into the game. But if it hadn't been for Mrs. Wilson talking to Mrs. Rockne, there wouldn't have been a series."

Jones developed the prototype of the modern tailback. His tailback, called the quarterback in the Jones' system, not only carried the ball 80 or 90 percent of the time, but also passed, punted and played safety on defense.

These running backs had a regal quality to their names: Morton Kaer, Morley Drury, Russ Saunders, Marshall Duffield, Gaius (Gus) Shaver, Orville Mohler, Homer Griffith, Irvine (Cotton) Warburton, Ambrose Schindler and Grenville Lansdell.

There was the great blocking back, Erny Pinckert, and later Bob Hoffman. The linemen of the 20s and 30s were the best of their day—Brice Taylor, Jesse Hibbs, Nate Barragar, Francis Tappaan, Garrett Arbelbide, Johnny Baker, Stan Williamson, Tay Brown, Ernie Smith, Aaron Rosenberg and Harry Smith.

Jones made an immediate impact at USC. His first team in 1925 had an 11-2 record. The Trojans were 8-2 in 1926, 8-1-1 in 1927, 9-0-1 in 1928, 10-2 in 1929 and 8-2 in 1930. After a season-opening loss to St. Mary's in 1931, the Trojans didn't lose another game until Stanford beat them, 13-7, in 1933—a 27-game unbeaten streak.

Trojan old timers still argue about which team was Jones' best. Some say it was the 1929 team that destroyed Pittsburgh in the Rose Bowl, 47-14, even though USC lost two regular season games. Others contend it was the 1931 club that rebounded from a loss to St. Mary's to go undefeated the rest of the season, including the historic 16-14 upset of Notre Dame at South Bend on Johnny Baker's late field goal.

For the purists who say that the record is the only way to measure the worth of a team, it's difficult to dispute the credentials of the 1932 team, which went 10-0 and allowed its opponents to score only 13 points.

As usually happens to any coach who has a long association with a single school, Jones had some down years, from 1934 through 1937.

USC rebounded with a 9-2 record in 1938, including a 7-3 Rose Bowl victory over Duke in which fourth-string quarterback Doyle Nave came off the bench in the final minutes to throw four consecutive passes to end "Antelope" Al Krueger, the last for the touchdown. The Blue Devils went into the Rose Bowl undefeated, untied and unscored upon.

Some insist that Jones' last great team in 1939 was his best. USC was unbeaten, but tied by Oregon and UCLA, in 10 games. The Trojans climaxed the season with Jones' final Rose Bowl victory, 14-0, over an unscored-upon Tennessee.

Jones died of a heart attack July 27, 1941, at the age of 55. The Trojans would have some strong teams in the next 20 years under four coaches, but they wouldn't win another national championship until the John McKay era.

A Yale man and a former All-American at that school along with his famous brother Tad, Jones was already a competent coach when he came to USC in 1925 (he had coached at Syracuse, Yale, Ohio State, Yale again, Iowa and Duke). After a season at Duke, Jones became USC's coach. Some say he got the job on the recommendation of Rockne.

The 1928 season marked USC's first victory (27-14) over Notre Dame, after Rockne had tagged Jones with one-point defeats in 1926 and 1927.

Jones had a remarkably consistent record from 1925 through 1933, never losing more than two games in a season and establishing USC's winning tradition in the Rose Bowl.

Jones believed in and coached power football. Although his Thundering Herd teams rolled up yardage and scored as many as 492 points as early as 1929, some critics incessantly carped that USC's offense was unimaginative.

Jones added wrinkles to his offense, to be sure. He made good use of a wingback reverse and a surprise passing attack, demonstrated to near-perfection in the 1930 Rose Bowl when Russ Saunders threw three TD passes to beat Pittsburgh.

Still, it was the running game with flawless execution that was the trademark of Jones' best teams. Rules discouraged passing during Jones' heyday because a pass had to be attempted five yards behind the line of scrimmage and a team couldn't throw two incomplete passes in one series. Otherwise, it would incur a five-yard penalty in both instances.

So run the Trojans did. Drury, a workhorse in the backfield, became USC's first 1,000-yard rusher (1,163) in 1927. Amazingly, the Trojans wouldn't have another 1,000-yard runner until Mike Garrett (1,440) in 1965.

Mort Kaer, USC's first All-American tailback, gained 852 yards in 1926; Saunders had 972 in 1929; Orv Mohler and Gus Shaver accounted for 983 and 936 in 1930 and 1931, and Cotton Warburton gained 885 in 1933.

All of these backs averaged better than five yards per carry with considerably fewer attempts (excepting Drury's 223 in 1927) than the modern-day USC tailback.

Years later, Willis O. (Bill) Hunter, the USC athletic director when Jones was hired in 1925, said succinctly: "I'd have to say that all of us hitched our wagon to a star, and Howard Jones was that star. He made all of USC's later success possible."

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It would not be precise to say that USC football was in limbo in the 40s and 50s. The Trojans went to the Rose Bowl five times during that time span and such players as Ralph Heywood, John Ferraro, Paul Cleary, Frank Gifford, Jim Sears, Jon Arnett and Marlin McKeever were honored as All-Americans.

There were also some fairly strong teams in this era—Jeff Cravath's war babies in the mid-40s and also his 1947 team, Jess Hill's once-beaten 1952 team and Don Clark's 1959 club.

But the Trojans had established high standards under Jones and fans of the school in the 40s and 50s thought in terms of national championships and took conference titles for granted.

Measured against the Thundering Herd days when overall only a loss or two in a season was tolerated, the 40s and 50s were a disappointing period for Trojan buffs. Sort of a waiting period. The Trojans didn't win a national championship in this span and Notre Dame took charge of its series with USC.

Succeeding Jones was Justin M. [Sam] Barry, who had been a valued assistant for Jones. Barry had close ties with Jones. He became basketball and baseball coach at Iowa on Jones' recommendation. Later, Jones brought Barry to USC to serve in the same capacity in addition to his assistant football coaching duties. Barry turned out winning baseball and basketball teams at USC and he was responsible for a major rules changes in the mid-30s—the abolition of the center jump.

Barry was under pressure in succeeding the legendary Jones and won only two of nine games with one tie in 1941.

When the dismal season ended, Barry was called into military service and President Rufus B. von KleinSmid and athletic director Bill Hunter began looking for an interim coach. The choice was Newell [Jeff] Cravath, a former Jones assistant and a defensive center for the Trojans from 1924 through 1926.

Cravath was coaching at the University of San Francisco in 1941 and his Dons had the highest scoring team on the West Coast. He had previously coached at Denver and in the junior college ranks.

He broke with the past and provided USC with a new offensive look in 1942. Howard Jones' single wing, with the quarterback carrying the ball almost every play, was put in mothballs.

The "T" formation, popularized by Stanford's Rose Bowl team in 1940, was in vogue and the Trojans were now in the "T"—with four backs, not one, handling the ball.

But USC had only moderate success in 1942, winning five and losing five with one tie.

By 1943 the country's war effort was in full gear and, because of travel restrictions, teams generally played teams in their own area. But USC football flourished during World War II because Cravath was able to recruit on his own campus. Navy and Marine training programs were set up at the school and some athletes who had played at other schools were transferred to USC. Moreover, the PCC voted to waive the peacetime regulation barring freshmen from varsity competition.

Cravath had an outstanding record during the war years, 23-6-2. His 1944 team was undefeated with two ties. USC made three straight appearances in the Rose Bowl. In 1943 USC played Washington at Pasadena in the only matchup of West Coast teams in Rose Bowl history. Jim Hardy threw three touchdown passes to tie Russ Saunders' record as USC won easily, 29-0.

USC had an even better team in 1944. With Hardy leading the way with his play-calling and passing, Troy concluded an unbeaten season by defeating Tennessee, 25-0, in the Rose Bowl. Jim Callanan scored the quickest touchdown in Rose Bowl history when he blocked a Tennessee punt and took it in with only 90 seconds elapsed in the game.

Because of service commitments, Hardy, All-American tackle John Ferraro, Gordon Gray and other stars from the 1944 team weren't available in 1945. So USC sent one of its worst teams to the Rose Bowl. The Trojans had a 7-3 regular season record, but they weren't a strong team. Alabama ended USC's string of eight Rose Bowl victories by winning, 34-14.

The war ended in 1945, and 1946 was the start of an unusual era in American college football. Servicemen who played for schools before the war, trainees who played during the war and incoming freshmen all were competing for positions now.

USC had a disappointing 6-4 record in 1946, but in 1947 the Trojans took charge of the PCC again. But the Trojans had peaked too soon. They struggled even while winning, including a 6-0 victory over UCLA that clinched the Rose Bowl bid. Then, Notre Dame, destroyed USC, 38-7, before 104,953 fans—the largest crowd ever to see a game at the Coliseum, before or since. The Trojans were humiliated again as mighty Michigan dealt USC then its worst defeat in the school's history, 49-0, in the 1948 Rose Bowl game.

USC had respectable records of 6-3-1 in 1948, including an upset 14-14 tie with unbeaten Notre Dame, and 5-3-1 in 1949. When the Trojans slipped to 2-5-2 in 1950, one of the worst records in the school's history, Cravath was asked to resign. It was his only losing season and his overall record was a creditable 54-28-8 (.644).

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USC didn't have to look far for its new coach: he was right on campus.

Jesse T. Hill had become USC's track coach when Dean Cromwell retired in 1949. Hill had been one of the school's best all-around athletes. He played fullback for Howard Jones in 1928-29. He lettered three years, 1927-1929, on the track team as a broad jumper and was the first Trojan ever to better 25 feet in the event. He didn't report for baseball until his senior year at USC, but he was the league's leading hitter with a .389 average. He played major league baseball for the Yankees, Senators and Athletics and he retired with a 10-year batting average (majors and triple-A) of .306.

Like Gloomy Gus Henderson, Hill never achieved the acclaim as football coach that he deserved. He coached from 1951 through 1956 until he was promoted to athletic director and he had a 45-17-1 record, including two Rose Bowl appearances, a 7-0 win over Wisconsin in 1953 and a 20-7 loss to Ohio State in 1955. The win over Wisconsin was the first by a PCC team since the 1947 pact with the Big Ten.

It was under Hill's regime that USC covertly to a multiple offense, single wing and "T," to take advantage of the talents of Frank Gifford, who was a reserve "T" quarterback and defensive back under Cravath in 1949 and 1950.

Old Trojans still say it's a shame that Gifford was limited to only one season, his senior year in 1951, as a tailback. Otherwise, the versatile athlete who went on to become an All-Pro with the New York Giants and then gain greater fame as a television sportscaster would be mentioned in the same breath with O.J. Simpson and other famous USC tailbacks. As it was, Gifford had an outstanding 1951 season, compiling 1,144 yards in total offense, 841 by rushing.

The Trojans finished with a 7-3 record in 1951, and in 1952 Notre Dame spoiled what was otherwise a perfect USC season (10-1) by winning, 9-0. USC finished the year by beating Wisconsin in the Rose Bowl.

Hill had records of 6-3-1 in 1953, 8-4 in 1954, 6-4 in 1955 and 8-2 in 1956 before he replaced the retiring Bill Hunter as athletic director.

There were some outstanding USC players in the early 50s, including Gifford, Pat Cannamela, Lindon Crow, Elmer Wilhoite, Jim Sears, an offensive threat who made All-American in 1952 as a defensive back, Al Carmichael, Bob Van Doren, Leon Clarke, Lou Welsh, George Timberlake, Aramis Dandoy, C.R. Roberts, Marv Goux—and Jon Arnett.

Arnett was one of the most exciting runners ever to play for USC. He was USC's leading rusher in 1954 and 1955 with 601 and 672 yards on a total of only 237 carries. Arnett played only half a season in 1956 as a senior because of PCC penalties levied against athletes from USC, UCLA, California and Washington for taking payments in excess of what the conference allowed for living expenses.

Other players who were juniors in 1956 lost their eligibility for the 1957 season. C. R. Roberts, an explosive fullback, who rushed for a then-school record of 251 yards against Texas in 1956, was one of the players affected.

The scandals not only scarred the players but led to the dissolution of the Pacific Coast Conference in 1959. A new league, the Athletic Association of Western Universities (AAWU), was formed with USC, UCLA, California, Washington and later Stanford as the member schools. It wouldn't be until 1964 that all of the Northwest schools would become reunited with the Big Five in the Pacific-8, which is now the Pac-10.

It was hardly a time for a new coach to take over at USC. But Don Clark, captain of the 1947 Trojans, a star lineman with the San Francisco 49ers and an assistant under Hill, was persuaded to take the job despite the fact that the PCC had put severe restrictions on USC's recruiting the previous two years. It is understandable why the Trojans had their worst record, 1-9, in the school's history in 1957.

Clark tried to generate enthusiasm with a new "go-go-go" hurry-up offense. When he was able to recruit again—getting players like the McKeever twins, Mike and Marlin—the Trojans made a comeback. They were 4-5-1 in 1958 and 8-2 in 1959, losing to UCLA and Notre Dame in the last two games.

Then Clark walked away from the job. He went out as a winner and applied the same success formula to the family business—Prudential Overall Supply.

So USC was without a coach on the threshold of the 60s. The most ardent Trojan fan couldn't imagine that the next coach would elevate the school to the national prominence that had not been attained since the days of Howard Jones.

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Intelligent. Witty. Flippant. Quick-tempered. Moody. Aloof. Charming. Introverted. John McKay is all of these things—and more. To those who knew him best, the former USC coach was and is an enigma. But his friends and detractors generally agree that he'll be remembered as one of the outstanding college coaches ever.

Not only did he restore USC to its elite status, but he also had more influence on the way offensive football is played at the college level than any other coach in his time.

It was McKay who modernized the "I" formation with the tailback standing up in the backfield some seven yards deep, with the vision to scan the defense and with the potential to strike at almost any point along the line.

When you talk about tailbacks, you're talking about USC—such glamour

runners as Heisman Trophy winners Mike Garrett, O.J. Simpson, Charles White and Marcus Allen, plus Clarence Davis, Anthony Davis and Ricky Bell.

McKay was innovative, but more important than that, he was a winner. He won four national championships (1962, 1967, 1972, 1974) during his 16 years at USC (1960-75). His teams won nine Pacific-8 titles and finished in the nation's top 10 on nine occasions. He had a career record of 127-40-8 (.749), putting him in the same class with Jones (.750).

The Rose Bowl became almost USC's second home during McKay's tenure. His teams made eight New Year's Day appearances in Pasadena, winning five and losing three.

There was an exciting quality about McKay's teams and some of the most memorable games in USC history were played in the 60s and 70s: The 42-37 victory over Wisconsin in the 1963 Rose Bowl. The 20-17 win over Notre Dame in 1964, the game that deprived the Irish of the national championship. The 21-20 squeaker over UCLA in 1967 with Simpson sprinting 64 yards for the clinching touchdown. A final-minute 14-12 conquest of the Bruins and 26-24 over Stanford, both in 1969, and again over Stanford in 1973, 27-26. The amazing 55-24 rout of Notre Dame in 1974 after the Trojans trailed, 24-6, at halftime. The late, 18-17 victory over Ohio State in the 1975 Rose Bowl.

USC is identified with its tailbacks but rival coaches say it was the strength and mobility of McKay's offensive lines that enabled Simpson & Company to run to daylight.

USC had more than its share of All-Americans and talented players during the McKay era: wide receivers Hal Bedsole, Lynn Swann and Bobby Chandler; tight end Charles Young; linebackers Damon Bame, Adrian Young, Charles Weaver, Jimmy Gunn, Willie Hall and Richard Wood; defensive end Tim Rossovich; offensive tackles Ron Yary, Marvin Powell, Sid Smith and Pete Adams; defensive backs Mike Battle and Artimus Parker; quarterbacks Mike Rae, Jimmy Jones and Pat Haden; and fullbacks Sam (Bam) Cunningham and Ben Wilson.

During the 40s and 50s, the USC-Notre Dame series had become one-sided, distinctly favoring the Irish. But McKay, after a tentative start, turned things around. He was shut out by the Irish his first two seasons, 1960 and 1961, and in 1966 Notre Dame embarrassed USC, 51-0, the worst defeat in Trojan history. McKay lost only once to Notre Dame the next nine seasons (two ties). When he left USC for Tampa Bay of the NFL after the 1975 season, he had established an 8-6-2 record against the Irish.

McKay played freshman football at Purdue in 1946, then transferred to Oregon the next year, where he was an All-Coast halfback. He stayed on as an assistant at Oregon, but when an opening developed on Don Clark's staff in 1959, Clark hired McKay. It was the most fortuitous decision of McKay's career. Clark resigned after the 1959 season and he recommended McKay for the USC job.

Now USC football was in the hands of a virtually unknown assistant coach and his debut was hardly auspicious. He lost his 1960 opener to Oregon State, 14-0, and struggled through a 4-6 season. Injuries, graduation losses and an inordinate number of slow-footed backs hindered the Trojans. Alumni were already grumbling about McKay when the new USC coach upset UCLA, 17-6, near the end of the season.

The record was not much better in 1961, 4-5-1, but McKay was already experimenting with the "I" formation. He moved Willie Brown, a flanker, to tailback, and Brown responded with a 93-yard touchdown run to beat SMU. Then, the following week against Iowa, USC had its first explosive offensive game under McKay. After trailing, 21-0, the Trojans rallied for 34 points. They lost in the final minute, 35-34, when McKay, not willing to settle for a tie, opted for the two-pointer and failed. He would lose other games by going for two points, but he would also win a Rose Bowl game and a share of the national championship with a successful two-point try. McKay saw no sense in ties; he played only to win.

In 1962 it all came together for McKay. He had benefited from recruiting, refined the "I" and borrowed the Arkansas defense from Frank Broyles. USC had speed on both offense and defense, two fine quarterbacks in Pete Beathard and Bill Nelsen, the versatile Willie Brown at tailback, strong Ben Wilson at fullback and wide receiver Hal Bedsole, a big man [6-5, 220], who could fly.

The 1962 team had a perfect 11-0 record to win the national championship. In its 10 regular season games, USC outscored the opposition, 219-55, and held eight opponents to seven points or less.

The best and most thrilling aspect of the season was the 1963 Rose Bowl game with Wisconsin. The Trojans built what seemed an almost insurmountable lead, 42-14. They almost lost the game when Wisconsin quarterback Ron VanderKelen completed 18 of 22 passes in the fourth quarter. 33 of 48 in the game for 401 yards, in a remarkable near-comeback. Final score: USC 42, Wisconsin 37.

The 1963 season is notable for the debut of the first of McKay's great tailbacks—Mike Garrett, a runner with speed and power who became USC's first Heisman Trophy winner in 1965. McKay said it's a shame that Garrett never got an opportunity to play in the Rose Bowl during his three seasons at USC. The Trojans had respectable records—7-3 in 1963 and again in 1964 and 7-2-1 in 1965—but losses to Washington and UCLA kept them from Pasadena.

USC just missed getting to the Rose Bowl in the mid-60s, but there was that shining moment in 1964 when the Trojans shocked Notre Dame right out of a national championship. The unbeaten Irish were on their way to a title, leading the Trojans, 17-0, at halftime. But the Trojans rallied to win, 20-17, on quarterback Craig Fertig's touchdown pass to wide receiver Rod Sherman.

USC got to the Rose Bowl in 1966, but McKay doesn't have pleasant memories of that season. The Trojans lost their final three games—UCLA, 14-7; Notre Dame, 51-0; and Purdue in the Rose Bowl, 14-13, when McKay lost another two-point gamble.

The next year, 1967, became significant for two reasons: one, a junior college transfer from San Francisco named Orenthal James Simpson was the new tailback. Two, the Trojans were on their way to three winning years in which they would have a combined 29-2-2 record, win the national championship and finish second and third in wire service rankings, and make three straight visits to the Rose Bowl.

When USC won its first national title under McKay in 1962, it was accomplished under one-platoon rules. In 1967 the two-platoon system was back and USC was even stronger. The incomparable Simpson averaged 154 yards a game rushing, including a single game high of 235 yards. McKay had one of his best defensive units, which allowed only 87 points.

And 1967 was the year that the team broke the South Bend jinx. Notre Dame hadn't lost to USC at home since 1939 but Simpson's running and a ball-hawking defense that included seven interceptions retired some old ghosts, 24-7.

There was also the showdown game with crosstown rival UCLA. The Bruins were the nation's top-ranked team at the time. The Trojans had held the No.1 position earlier, but had slipped to third the previous week after being upset by Oregon State, 3-0, on a muddy field at Corvallis. The lead changed hands four times. UCLA spurred ahead, 20-14, in the fourth quarter behind Gary Beban, the Heisman Trophy winning quarterback. Then Simpson found daylight and sprinted 64 yards to a touchdown and a national championship.

After that, even the Rose Bowl was anticlimactic. Indiana was dominated by USC, 14-3.

The next two years, USC got another nickname—the Cardiac Kids; the team won or tied 12 times with fourth-quarter comebacks.

In 1968, Simpson carried the ball 383 times, an average of 35 carries a game, and gained 1,880 yards, an average of 4.9 yards a carry, on his way to winning the Heisman Trophy.

USC came into the Rose Bowl against Ohio State that season with a 9-0-1 record. Despite an 80-yard touchdown run by Simpson, the Buckeyes took advantage of Trojan turnovers to win, 27-16.

The 1969 team had a 10-0-1 record, climaxed the season with a 10-3 victory over Michigan in the Rose Bowl. But the second edition of the Cardiac Kids was often maligned because they didn't win by impressive margins. The fabulous Juice was gone and the Trojans had new personalities—sophomore quarterback Jimmy Jones, tailback Clarence Davis and a defensive line known as the Wild Bunch.

Jones could misfire on eight straight passes and then become accurate in the final minutes. Davis is now known as the "forgotten" USC tailback because his career followed those of Garrett and Simpson. Davis led the Trojans in rushing in 1969 and 1970, gaining 1,351 and 972 yards.

The name, Wild Bunch, was inspired by the current movie of the same name. The group was composed of ends Jimmy Gunn and Charles Weaver, tackles Al Cowlings and Tody Smith, and middle guard Bubba Scott. Gunn and Cowlings were All-Americans in 1969. Weaver was so honored in 1970.

The Cardiac Kids were at their heart-stopping best in a 26-24 victory over Stanford. Late in the game, USC surged back behind Jones' passing and Davis' running to set up Ron Ayala's 34-yard field goal with no time remaining.

The 1969 USC-UCLA game is considered one of the most dramatic of the series. Both teams were unbeaten with 8-0-1 records. The Wild Bunch gave UCLA quarterback Dennis Dummit a beating, but UCLA took the lead, 12-7 with 5 minutes left. Then, Jones, 0 of 9 passing in the first half, began to hit his receivers. A pass interference penalty against UCLA on an apparent fourth-down incompletion gave Jones a reprieve. He fired a 32-yard touchdown pass to Sam Dickerson deep in the end zone—and USC had pulled it out, 14-12, with 1:32 to play.

USC was 6-4-1 in 1970 and matched that in 1971. Winning years in some books, but not at USC.

McKay became conscious in 1970 that he needed faster and more talented players. By 1972 he had the right blend of experience and youth. He also had one of the greatest teams in the history of college football.

This was a team without an apparent weakness. It had a 12-0 record, scored 467 points, averaged 432 yards a game, never trailed in the second half, restricted opponents to an average of only 2.5 yards per rush and didn't permit a run longer than 29 yards.

McKay had two quality quarterbacks, senior Mike Rae and sophomore Pat Haden; an outstanding sophomore tailback, Anthony Davis, who became a starter at midseason; a high diving, excellent blocking fullback, Sam (Bam) Cunningham; tight end Charles Young and offensive tackle Pete Adams, both All-Americans; skilled defensive players like tackles John Grant and Jeff

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Winans and Richard (Batman) Wood, a sophomore All-American linebacker who could run the 40 in 4.5 seconds, and three fine wide receivers, Lynn Swann, Edsel Garrison and Johnny McKay, the coach's son.

The Trojans breezed through their schedule until the regular-season ending game with Notre Dame at the Coliseum. The Irish made a game of it, and closed to within two points, 25-23, late in the third quarter. Then Anthony Davis returned a kickoff 96 yards for a touchdown. He had earlier scored on a 97-yard kickoff return. The momentum belonged to the Trojans and they won, 45-23. Davis scored *six* touchdowns against Notre Dame that day, the most ever by a Trojan.

To underscore that the team was clearly the best in the country, USC destroyed Woody Hayes' Ohio State team, 42-17, in the Rose Bowl. Cunningham sky-dived for four touchdowns, Rae completed 18 of 25 passes for 229 yards with no interceptions and Davis slashed for 157 yards, including a 20-yard TD run that broke the game open.

The Trojans were undisputed as No.1. For the first time in collegiate history, USC got every first-place ballot in the final AP and UPI polls.

McKay had lost 12 regulars from his 1972 team when the 1973 season opened. Still, the Trojans responded with a 9-2-1 record and another appearance in the Rose Bowl (Ohio State won, 42-21).

McKay believed that he had one of the strongest teams in the country at the outset of the 1974 season. Haden and Davis were both seniors. The team was generally experienced.

The Trojans were shocked by Arkansas, 22-7, in the opener at Little Rock, and weren't impressive at times, especially at mid-season when they were tied by California, 15-15. But then they got rolling, leading to one of the most remarkable games ever played. The Trojans, apparently beaten by Notre Dame and trailing, 24-0, in the first half, rallied for 35 points in the third quarter, scored more in the fourth quarter and won, 55-24. Anthony Davis returned the second-half kickoff 102 yards for a touchdown to get the roll started, the sixth of his career, breaking the existing NCAA record.

The Trojans, with a flair for the dramatic, had not run out of comebacks. In the 1975 Rose Bowl game, USC trailed Ohio State, 17-10, with minutes left to play. Haden teamed with Johnny McKay on a 38-yard touchdown pass. Coach McKay went for the two-point conversion try. Haden threw a low, accurate pass to Shelton Diggs for an 18-17 victory. The pass was the biggest play of the year because Alabama had lost to Notre Dame on New Year's night in the Orange Bowl and USC was elevated to the No.1 spot in the final UPI poll.

In 1975, USC won its first seven games. But Troy wasn't as formidable as its record indicated—and there was something else. McKay announced before his team was to play at California in game eight that he would be leaving USC at the end of the season to coach the NFL expansion team in Tampa Bay.

McKay was in the dual role of athletic director and football coach. He had become weary of the politics of college athletics and the recruiting grind after 16 years. And there was precious little more that he could accomplish at the college level. The most compelling reason to leave USC, however, was the lifetime security of the Tampa Bay offer.

McKay's decision had an immediate adverse effect on his team, which lost four straight conference games. Although USC had a disappointing 7-4 regular season record and was out of the Rose Bowl race even before the UCLA game, McKay still went out as a winner. The Trojans played in the Liberty Bowl in Memphis and pulled off a mild upset by defeating Texas A&M, 20-0.

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Howard Jones won his last national championship in 1932. John McKay won his first in 1962. That's a 30-year drought between legendary coaches. USC wouldn't have to wait that long after McKay resigned.

John Robinson, McKay's replacement, not only maintained the winning Trojan tradition, he added a new dimension to the USC football program.

Robinson went 67-14-2 (.819) in his first seven-year stint at USC (1976-1982). He won a national championship in 1978. His teams finished second in the final wire service polls twice, in 1976 and in 1979. He won three Rose Bowls (1977, 1979, 1980) and a Bluebonnet Bowl game (New Year's Eve, 1977).

As a tactician, he retained the best from McKay—the formation and tailback-oriented offense along with a sound defense—while establishing the quarterback as a more important figure in his offense.

McKay's best teams were balanced offensively (running and passing), but, in 1975, when USC slumped, the poor play of quarterback Vince Evans was a contributing factor. Evans was much improved under Robinson in 1976. Robinson was also responsible for the improvement of Rob Hertel in 1977. It was in 1978 and 1979 that the quarterback, Paul McDonald, really came into a position of eminence in the USC offense, rivaling that of the tailback, Charles White.

Robinson, like McKay, was a virtually unknown assistant when he was named USC's coach. He was a reserve end on Oregon's 1957 Rose Bowl team and he stayed at his alma mater for 12 years as an assistant before becoming McKay's offensive coordinator from 1972 through 1974. He left USC in 1975 to join the Oakland Raiders as an offensive assistant coach.

Robinson's first night as a head football coach was a nightmare. That was Sept. 11, 1976, when Missouri shocked Robinson's Trojans, 46-25, in the

opener.

But the game was hardly a harbinger for the season. The Trojans got their act together and won their next eight games to set up another Rose Bowl-deciding game with UCLA, unbeaten and ranked No. 2 in the country under new head coach Terry Donahue. USC won, 21-14.

Ricky Bell was the latest model off the USC tailback assembly line that season. He had broken O.J. Simpson's single season rushing record the previous year, gaining 1,957 yards on 385 carries.

Bell didn't fit the mold of a typical USC tailback. Garrett, Clarence Davis, Anthony Davis and, later, White, were short, stocky types. Bell, a former fullback and linebacker, was a battering, bruising runner with good speed for a big man. He gained 1,433 yards for the season to become USC's No.2 all-time leading rusher behind Anthony Davis, 3,724 to 3,689.

After the 1976 win over UCLA, USC beat Notre Dame, 17-13, the next week and then the Trojan defense completely destroyed powerful Michigan in the Rose Bowl. The Wolverines were the nation's leading scoring (39 points average) and rushing team (448 yards), but they could score only six points and rush for 217 yards as USC won, 14-6, without Bell.

Bell was knocked unconscious on USC's first series. White, who would go on to become the school's most prolific rusher, filled in with 114 yards on 32 carries. Evans completed 14 of 20 passes for 181 yards, scored a touchdown on a one-yard keeper and was named Player of the Game. Robinson became the first rookie head coach from the Pac-8 to win the Rose Bowl game in 61 years.

Bell, safety Dennis Thurman, defensive tackle Gary Jeter and offensive tackle Marvin Powell got All-American recognition. USC finished with an 11-1 record and a No. 2 national rating behind undefeated Pittsburgh.

Expectations were high for 1977. The Trojans started fast, winning their first four games and moving to the top of the rankings. Alabama snapped USC's 15-game unbeaten streak with a 21-20 victory at the Coliseum and the Trojans suddenly became an inconsistent team. They lost three of their next five games, including an embarrassing 49-19 setback to Notre Dame at South Bend, where the Irish switched from blue to green jerseys before the game to get a psychological advantage.

The Trojans were out of the Rose Bowl running by the time they met UCLA. But it was an important game for the Bruins. If they beat USC, they would get the Rose Bowl bid; a loss would send Washington to Pasadena. In one of the most exciting games of the city series, the Bruins were leading, 27-26, with only a few minutes remaining. Then, Frank Jordan kicked a 38-yard field goal with two seconds left, kicking UCLA out of the Rose Bowl, 29-27.

USC got a consolation prize, a Bluebonnet Bowl bid against Texas A&M at Houston's Astrodome. It was a wild offensive party on New Year's Eve. USC gained 620 yards rushing and passing; A&M gained 519. USC won, 47-28.

For a change, USC wasn't highly ranked in the 1978 preseason polls. Nor were the Trojans the consensus favorite to win the newly-expanded Pacific-10 with the addition of Arizona and Arizona State.

USC opened with lackluster wins over Texas Tech and Oregon. No. 1-ranked Alabama was waiting for USC in Birmingham. The Trojans, with tailback Charles White who was now a junior gaining 199 yards on 29 carries, toppled Alabama, 24-14. USC didn't let down the next week against Michigan State, the Big Ten co-champion. The Trojans buried the Spartans, 30-9. USC seemed unbeatable then, but it was walking into a trap at Tempe. Arizona State surprised USC, 20-7. The Trojans couldn't afford to lose another game if they expected to get to the Rose Bowl. They didn't.

The Trojans had the Rose Bowl bid but if they were to stay in contention for the national championship, they had to beat their old rival, Notre Dame, the following week at the Coliseum.

USC had Notre Dame reeling, leading them, 24-6, after three quarters. The Irish made a comeback to rival any in the school's illustrious history. Incredibly, Notre Dame scored three touchdowns in the fourth quarter to take a 25-24 lead with 46 seconds remaining. There was time enough for USC to make an even more amazing comeback. Jordan, who had kicked a 38-yard field goal with two seconds left to beat UCLA in 1977, booted a 37-yard field goal with two seconds remaining to shock Notre Dame, 27-25.

It was on to the Rose Bowl for USC, where the Trojans scored a 17-10 win over Michigan. USC went into the game as the nation's third-ranked team, behind unbeaten Penn State and once-beaten Alabama, in both wire service polls. After Alabama beat Penn State in the Sugar Bowl, the Tide won the national championship in the AP poll and USC barely won in the UPI balloting.

If USC was overlooked in preseason ratings in 1978, they made up for it in 1979.

The Trojans seemed awesome. They were coming off a 12-1 season, a share of the national championship and White and McDonald, now seniors, represented the best one-two offensive punch in college football. Besides White and McDonald, Robinson had such skilled players as offensive tackle Anthony Munoz and guard Brad Budde, both All-American prospects; wide receiver Kevin Williams, tight ends Hoby Brenner, James Hunter and Vic Rakhshani; defensive linemen Myron Lapka, Ty Sperling and Dennis Edwards; linebackers Dennis Johnson and Larry McGrew; and two of the nation's best safeties, Ronnie Loft and Dennis Smith.



USC won its first five games, but then lost its No.1 ranking in an improbable manner. Stanford was the spoiler. The Cardinals stunned USC with 21 unanswered points in the second half and the game ended in a tie, 21-21. USC had had its letdown for the season, but it didn't falter again.

The Trojans were back in the Rose Bowl, this time against Ohio State. With 5:21 to play, the Buckeyes led, 16-10, and the Trojans were in deep trouble at their own 17-yard line. White, who was already the runaway winner in the Heisman Trophy balloting, simply ran through Ohio State. The Trojan tailback gained 71 yards of an 83-yard stay-on-the-ground assault climaxed by his diving touchdown inches away from the goal line. The successful conversion enabled USC to preserve its unbeaten record, 11-0-1. The Trojans wound up as the nation's No. 2 team in both polls.

White and McDonald had superb seasons. White was the nation's leading rusher in 1979. He wound up his regular season career with 5,598 yards—second highest total in NCAA history. McDonald set 17 NCAA, Pac-10 and school passing records. All-American guard Brad Budde won the Lombardi Award as the nation's best lineman and linebacker Dennis Johnson also won All-American honors.

The decade of the '80s marked the emergence of still another tailback to carry on the legacy of excellence that is inherent with the USC football program.

Marcus Allen, who had served his apprenticeship as Charles White's fullback in 1979 (gaining 649 yards and scoring eight touchdowns), was now prepared to assume the demanding responsibility as tailback in the I formation. Allen was a reserve tailback in 1977 as a freshman, with only limited experience at the position considering that he was a quarterback and defensive back in high school.

The graduation loss of Paul McDonald left John Robinson without an experienced quarterback in 1980, so USC was one dimensional on offense, student body left and right.

Despite his inexperience at the position and a limited passing game, Allen still managed to gain 1,563 yards, and catch 30 passes. He also showed his versatility by completing the only two passes he threw, one for a 36-yard touchdown.

The Trojans, who were ineligible to play in a bowl game due to conference sanctions, finished with an 8-2-1 record, losing to Washington, the Rose Bowl representative, and narrowly to UCLA, 20-17—the Trojans' first loss to the Bruins in Robinson's five seasons as USC's coach.

Three Trojans, defensive back Ronnie Loft, offensive tackle Keith Van Horne and offensive guard Roy Foster were recognized as All-Americans.

Allen had a productive first season as USC's tailback. Still, it wasn't an indication of what he would accomplish in 1981. A more confident, skilled player now, his statistics were awesome even though he was a marked man. Allen was virtually the USC offense as he gained 2,342 yards through 11 regular season games, an NCAA mark, while averaging a record 212.9 yards per game. His record-breaking season was validated as he became the fourth Trojan tailback to win the Heisman Trophy.

Even though USC won its first four games, including a thrilling last-second 28-24 victory over Oklahoma on national TV, an upset loss to Arizona, 13-10, and a 13-3 setback to Washington in Seattle prevented the Trojans from going to the Rose Bowl. However, USC ended the regular season with a 22-21 victory over UCLA as nose guard George Achica blocked a late Bruin field goal try to preserve the win.

The Trojans didn't fare so well in the Fiesta Bowl, where they were dominated by Penn State, losing, 26-10, to finish with a 9-3 record. Allen was a unanimous All-American with Foster repeating and linebacker Chip Banks getting equal recognition.

Because of NCAA and conference sanctions, USC was ineligible to participate in any bowl games the next two seasons.

USC still had a respectable 8-3 season in 1982 despite the loss of Allen and an injury-decimated tailback corps.

It was in the week preceding the 1982 Notre Dame game that Robinson disclosed that he was leaving USC as football coach to become a senior vice president in the school's administration. He wouldn't remain at that position long, though, leaving USC soon after to become the Rams' coach.

So the theme for the Notre Dame game was "Win One for the Fat Guy," pertaining to Robinson's girth and his popularity. The Trojans did just that, 17-13, with tailback Michael Harper scoring the winning and controversial touchdown in the closing minutes. It was argued that Harper didn't have the ball when he sky-dived over a pile at the goal line.

Achica and offensive linemen Don Mosebar and Bruce Mathews were named All-Americans.

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The successful Robinson, who had coached USC to three Rose Bowl wins and a national championship in 1978, was replaced by Ted Tollner, who had joined the USC staff in 1982 as offensive coordinator. However, although nobody knew it then, it wouldn't be the last time Trojan fans saw Robinson.

Tollner's first season wasn't auspicious as the Trojans slumped to a 4-6-1 record, the first losing season in 22 years. Their 27-6 loss to Notre Dame was the start of a frustrating streak—13 consecutive years without a win over the

Irish. Center Tony Slaton was an All-American in 1983.

The Trojans rebounded in 1984, winning seven straight Pac-10 games and clinching the Rose Bowl bid a week before the end of the conference season with a 16-7 victory over Washington. Tollner had a defensive team featuring All-American linebackers Jack Del Rio and Duane Bickett, while a fiery JC transfer, quarterback Tim Green, who replaced injured Sean Salisbury, provided leadership on offense. The Trojans had a letdown after beating Washington, losing to UCLA and Notre Dame. But Tollner's team regrouped to beat Ohio State, 20-17, in the Rose Bowl for a 9-3 record.

Although USC was favored to repeat as conference champs in 1985, the Trojans had a 6-6 season, ultimately losing to Alabama, 24-3 in the Aloha Bowl.

The Trojans started fast in 1986, winning their first four games. Then, USC was upset by Washington State, 34-14, and lost to Arizona State, 29-20, before winning three straight conference games. But the Trojans finished on a sour note, losing to UCLA, 45-25, and Notre Dame, 38-37. Tollner was then fired, the first USC coach to be terminated since Jeff Cravath in 1950. Tollner's four-year record was 26-20-1.

Tollner was a lame duck when USC lost to Auburn, 16-7, in the Citrus Bowl that concluded a 7-5 season. Offensive guard Jeff Bregel and safety Tim McDonald, All-Americans in 1985, did so again in 1986.

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A day following the Jan. 1 Citrus Bowl, Arizona coach Larry Smith was named as Tollner's replacement. Smith had revived Arizona's program in his seven years there, winning 70% of his games in his last four seasons. He also coached Arizona to a startling upset over No.1 ranked USC in 1980 and had beaten rival Arizona State five straight times.

The Trojans had a roller coaster season in 1987, Smith's first year as coach. Michigan State beat USC, 27-13, at East Lansing in the opener and Oregon upset USC, 34-27, at Eugene at midseason to imperil USC's Rose Bowl aspirations. But the Trojans rebounded to beat Washington, 37-23, at Seattle when a loss would have meant virtual elimination from the Rose Bowl race. The Trojans kept winning behind quarterback Rodney Peete, who was to break every meaningful USC passing record, and tailback Steven Webster, a 1,000-yard rusher.

As it has so many times in the past, the Rose Bowl deciding game paired the Trojans against the Bruins. But USC, an 8 1/2 point underdog, prevailed, 17-13, getting the winning touchdown on Peete's 33-yard pass to receiver Erik Affholter, who juggled the ball in the corner of the end zone. Peete provided the play of the game late in the first half, when he ran down UCLA's Eric Turner, who had intercepted Peete's pass and was apparently headed for a TD that would have provided UCLA with a 17-0 halftime lead.

USC was back in the Rose Bowl only to lose to Michigan State again, 20-17. Offensive lineman Dave Cadigan was selected an All American.

The 1988 campaign began in glorious fashion for the Trojans. USC was celebrating its athletic centennial and the football team did its part, starting off 10-0 and rising to No. 2 in the rankings. With its second consecutive Rose Bowl berth clinched by virtue of a 31-22 win over UCLA (Peete was hospitalized all week with the measles, but came off his sickbed to lead Troy to victory), the undefeated Trojans hosted top-ranked Notre Dame. But the Irish prevailed, 27-10, and USC couldn't recover in the Rose Bowl, falling to Michigan, 22-14, as Smith lost to his former boss, Bo Schembechler (who he served under at Miami of Ohio and Michigan).

Peete, who finished second in the Heisman voting and set a USC season and career passing records, was an All-American, along with Affholter, safeties Mark Carrier and Cleveland Colter and defensive tackle Tim Ryan.

USC's 1989 season was supposed to open in historic fashion—against Illinois in the Glasnost Bowl in Moscow of the Soviet Union, but those plans had to be scratched because of contractual difficulties with the game's organizers (the game was played in the Coliseum and the Illini won, 14-13). The Trojans then won eight of their next nine games, including a dramatic 18-17 comeback win at Washington State when freshman quarterback Todd Marinovich—whose father, Marv, captained the 1962 USC squad and whose uncle, Craig Fertig, was USC's 1964 captain—passed USC 91 yards down the field in 18 plays at game's end. Troy's only loss during that span was 28-24 at Notre Dame (USC also tied UCLA, 10-10). USC, which finished 9-2-1, made it to the Rose Bowl for the third year in a row and the third time was the charm for Smith as he beat No. 3 Michigan, 17-10, in Schembechler's last game as Wolverine coach. Tailback Ricky Ervins, who rushed for 1,395 yards in 1989, ran 14 yards for the game-winning TD with 1:10 to play to earn Rose Bowl MVP honors.

Carrier and Ryan repeated as All-Americans in 1989 (Carrier also won the Thorpe Award as the nation's top defensive back), while linebacker Junior Seau and offensive guard Mark Tucker also won All-American acclaim.

USC's Rose Bowl streak ended in 1990, although the 8-4-1 Trojans did play in a bowl that season, narrowly losing to Michigan State (17-16) in the John Hancock Bowl. The season's highlight was the UCLA game, the highest-scoring and perhaps most thrilling game in the storied crosstown rivalry. The game, won by USC, 45-42, featured a 42-point fourth quarter with four lead changes, capped by Marinovich's 23-yard game-winning pass to

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Johnnie Morton with 16 seconds to go. Linebacker Scott Ross was a 1990 All-American and tailback Mazio Royster rushed for 1,168 yards.

The Hancock Bowl loss—marked by a sideline shouting match between the stern disciplinarian Smith and the free-spirited sophomore Marinovich, who soon after left for the NFL—signaled the beginning of the end for Smith's tenure at USC. Things quickly unraveled in 1991, as the Trojans were upset in their home opener by unheralded Memphis State, 24-10. Although USC upset No. 5 Penn State the following game, 21-10, Troy had a difficult year. The Trojans were 3-8, ending the season with six consecutive losses—including the first of an embarrassing eight in a row to UCLA—and no bowl trip.

Smith's 1992 season started decently. Despite a tie with San Diego State in the opener and a close 17-10 road loss to top-ranked Washington, USC regrouped to win four in a row, but then disaster struck as the Trojans lost four of their last five, including 38-37 to UCLA when a potential game-winning 2-point conversion pass with 41 seconds to go fell incomplete (Troy had a 14-point fourth quarter lead) and 24-7 to upstart Fresno State in the Freedom Bowl. USC, fielding its 100th football team, finished 6-5-1, despite featuring a pair of All-Americans in electrifying wide receiver/return specialist Curtis Conway (who set the school's career kickoff return record) and offensive tackle Tony Boselli. So, just three seasons after directing the Trojans to three straight Rose Bowls, Smith was fired...and a familiar face returned to Troy.

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After a successful nine-year run coaching the Rams, in which he made the playoffs six times, and then a year off spent as a television analyst, John Robinson returned to USC in 1993 in hopes of restoring the football program's past glory.

He had an immediate impact, as his first team tied for first place in the Pac-10 (UCLA received the Rose Bowl bid because it beat the Trojans, 27-21). Like in his first stint at Troy, Robinson lost his opener (31-9 to North Carolina). He then lost three road games to Top 15-ranked teams (Penn State on a failed two-point conversion attempt at game's end, Arizona and Notre Dame), but the 8-5 Trojans did beat Washington in Seattle to end the Huskies' 17-game home winning streak and they prevailed over Utah in the Freedom Bowl, 28-21. USC almost made it to the Rose Bowl, but for an intercepted 3-yard pass in the end zone with 56 seconds to play to preserve UCLA's 27-21 victory. His team featured Morton, an All-American who set USC's career receiving record with 201 catches, plus quarterback Rob Johnson (whose 3,630 passing yards was a Trojan season record) and fearsome linebacker Willie McGinest. USC played in the new-look Coliseum, where a \$15-million renovation included the removal of the running track and the lowering of the field.

The 1994 season saw the return of another familiar face to USC when one-time ballboy Keyshawn Johnson transferred from a junior college. Johnson, a big, speedy receiver, was brash, loquacious and had a magnetic personality. The Trojans began 2-2, then strung together five wins in a row. Although USC lost again to UCLA, its 10-10 tie with Notre Dame did dent a long drought to the Irish (Notre Dame had won the previous 11 games). USC made a statement in the Cotton Bowl with its 55-14 win over Texas Tech to finish 8-3-1, and Johnson also stood out in that game as he caught eight passes for 222 yards with three touchdowns (the yardage and TDs were Cotton Bowl records). Boselli, hampered by a knee injury in 1993, earned All-American honors again.

Amazingly, USC was able to play its games that year in the Coliseum even though the grand stadium was severely damaged in an earthquake in January of 1994 and had to undergo \$93 million of repairs.

Robinson got his next team back to the Rose Bowl. The 1995 Trojans started off 6-0, then lost at Notre Dame and tied Washington in Seattle, 21-21 (Troy scored 21 unanswered points in the fourth quarter). Because of a better overall record than the Huskies, USC got the Rose Bowl bid where it defeated No. 3 Northwestern, 41-32, a Cinderella team making its first Pasadena visit since 1949. Johnson finished his brief USC career as the Rose Bowl MVP, grabbing 12 passes for a game-record 216 yards with a TD. His 102 catches that season were a school record and he ended up second on USC's career receiving list before becoming the No. 1 pick in the 1996 NFL draft. Tailback Delon Washington rushed for 1,109 yards for the 9-2-1 Trojans.

Although USC wound up 13th in the final 1994 AP poll and 12th in 1995, that 1995 campaign was the peak of Robinson's second stint guiding USC. He couldn't take USC any higher; in fact, his Trojans leveled out the next two years.

In 1996, Troy went 6-6, losing a pair of heartbreakers—both in two overtime periods (the NCAA instituted the tiebreaker beginning with the 1995 bowl contests). First, USC lost at Arizona State, 48-35, then fell to UCLA, 48-41, as the Bruins erased a 17-point deficit in the final 6:12 of the fourth quarter. The bright spot of the season was a 27-20 season-ending overtime win over Notre Dame in the Coliseum, breaking USC's 13-game non-winning streak to the Irish.

In 1997, for the second year in a row, USC didn't play in a bowl. However, the 6-5 Trojans did post their second straight win over Notre Dame, this time 20-17 on Adam Abrams' 37-yard field goal with 1:05 to play to give USC its first victory in South Bend since 1981. USC's 23-0 win at Oregon State was

not shown on television, ending USC's streak of 111 consecutive live telecasts. Defensive tackle Darrell Russell earned All-American honors.

Robinson, whose last two teams went 1-6 against Top 25-ranked opponents, was fired after the 1997 season.

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His replacement was someone familiar with USC and its tradition of success: Paul Hackett. Hackett had been an assistant under Robinson from 1976 to 1980 and was on the Trojan staff during the 1978 national championship season. He then made his mark in the NFL as a quarterbacks coach and offensive coordinator with four teams, including the 1984 Super Bowl champion San Francisco 49ers. In his career, he had tutored the likes Joe Montana, Marcus Allen, Jerry Rice, Tony Dorsett, Charles White, Herschel Walker and Danny White.

Hackett got off to a good start, winning his 1998 opener (27-17 over Purdue) to become the first Trojan head coach to win his debut since Jess Hill in 1951. USC went 8-5, shut out Notre Dame, 10-0 (the Irish's first shutout since 1987), and played in the Sun Bowl. Chris Claiborne was an All-American and became USC's first winner of the Butkus Award as the nation's top linebacker.

The 1998 season also had a sad note to it, as 91-year-old "Super Fan" Giles Pellerin died at the UCLA game while viewing his 797th consecutive Trojan game, home and away. His streak dated to 1926; he had seen every USC-UCLA and USC-Notre Dame game ever played before his passing.

USC looked like it was going to take another step up in 1999, starting off 2-0. But quarterback Carson Palmer broke his collarbone in the third game and was sidelined for the season, and Troy dropped six of its next seven contests (the win was at home against Oregon State, USC's 1,000th game). Although they missed out on a bowl, the 6-6 Trojans rebounded by winning their last three games, including 17-7 over UCLA to snap an eight-game losing streak to the Bruins. All six of USC's losses were by 10 points or less. Tailback Chad Morton rushed for 1,141 yards.

Things didn't improve in 2000, as the new millennium unfolded. Although USC began 3-0 and climbed to No. 8 in the AP poll, it lost the next 5 games. Despite beating UCLA on David Bell's dramatic field goal with 9 seconds to play, the Trojans finished 5-7 overall and out of a bowl for the second consecutive year. Their 2-6 mark in the Pac-10 left them with their first-ever last place finish in conference play. Hackett was fired after the season and replaced by Pete Carroll, who came with 26 years of college and pro coaching experience (including head coaching stints with the NFL's New England Patriots and New York Jets).

Carroll's first squad in 2001 started slowly (at 1-4 and then 2-5), but rebounded by winning its final four regular-season games (and its last five Pac-10 contests), including a 27-0 home shutout over UCLA, to earn a spot in the Las Vegas Bowl. Although the Trojans finished 6-6, the losses were by a combined 29 points. Five were by five points or less (the first time that happened in a USC season), including twice when opponents kicked field goals in the final 12 seconds (once at the gun), also a USC first. Hampered by injuries to its tailback corps, the Trojans rushed for an all-time low 1,052 yards. However, safety Troy Polamalu earned All-American honors.

Then, in 2002, USC harkened back to its dominating glory days. USC closed its campaign with an 8-game winning streak (getting at least 400 yards of total offense and 30 points in each game). In fact, some said the Trojans were playing the best ball in the nation by year's end. Troy went 11-2 overall, earned a No. 4 final ranking, won a share of the Pac-10 championship (going 7-1), scored decisive wins over UCLA and Notre Dame (for the first time in the same season since 1981) and posted an impressive victory in the BCS' Orange Bowl...all while playing what was ranked as the nation's toughest schedule. It was USC's most wins and highest final ranking since 1979. The Trojans finished in the nation's Top 20 in nearly every team statistical category and led the Pac-10 in scoring offense and defense. No opposing runner gained 100 yards versus USC. Not only did Polamalu repeat as an All-American, but quarterback Carson Palmer—the Pac-10's career passing and total offense leader who set 33 USC and Pac-10 records—became Troy's fifth Heisman Trophy winner. Kareem Kelly set USC's career reception record.

That might seem like a hard act to follow, especially with the likes of Palmer, Polamalu and Kelly gone, but the 2003 Trojans exceeded expectations by going 12-1 and winning the AP version of the national championship (USC's first in 25 years). Troy won its second straight Pac-10 title and, despite being controversially snubbed for the BCS Championship Game in the Sugar Bowl, handily demolished No. 4 Michigan in the Rose Bowl.

Except for a triple overtime loss at California early on, the Trojans won each game handily. It started with a 23-0 opening shutout at Auburn and included a second consecutive sweep of the Irish and Bruins. USC scored at least 30 points in 11 consecutive games, including 40 points in 7 in a row (both Pac-10 records), en route to tallying 534 total points (another Pac-10 mark). The Trojan defense topped the nation in rushing defense and was second in turnover margin, forcing 42 turnovers and scoring 8 TDs.

Five players won All-American first team honors: quarterback Matt Leinart, wide receiver Mike Williams, defensive end Kenechi Udeze, offensive tackle Jacob Rogers and punter Tom Malone (Leinart and Williams finished



sixth and eighth, respectively, in the Heisman voting). Carroll was recognized as the National Coach of the Year.

In 2004, USC left no doubt in winning a second consecutive national championship. And, unlike 2003, this title was undisputed, as USC demolished Oklahoma in the BCS Championship Game in the Orange Bowl, 55-19. Troy went 13-0 overall (a school record for victories) and became just the second team ever to hold the AP No. 1 ranking from pre-season through the entire campaign. It was only the 10th time that a team won back-to-back AP crowns. At 8-0, USC won its third consecutive Pac-10 title. The Trojans swept traditional rivals UCLA and Notre Dame for an unprecedented third year in a row. [USC's last 2 wins of 2004 were later vacated due to NCAA penalty.]

Troy was in the national Top 10 in every defensive statistical category (its total defense average was USC's lowest in 15 years), including first in rushing defense and turnover margin and third in scoring defense. USC outscored opponents by 25.2 points (including a school-record 8 games with a margin of at least 30 points). USC played before 3 home sellouts, 7 regular-season sellouts and 8 season sellouts, all school marks. And Troy set a USC and Pac-10 record for home attendance average.

A school-record 6 Trojans (Heisman Trophy quarterback Leinart, Heisman finalist tailback Reggie Bush, defensive linemen Shaun Cody and Mike Patterson, and linebackers Matt Grootegoed and Lofa Tatupu) were named All-American first teamers.

USC came oh-so-close to winning an unprecedented third consecutive national championship in 2005, but it lost a 41-38 heartbreaker in the Rose Bowl's BCS Championship Game when Texas scored in the final 19 seconds. The loss snapped a school-record 34-game overall winning streak, as well as national records of 33 consecutive weeks as AP's No. 1 team and 16 straight wins over AP Top 25 teams. USC went 12-1 (finishing second in the polls) overall and 8-0 in the Pac-10 to win its fourth straight league title. [All of USC's wins in 2005 were later vacated due to NCAA penalty.]

However, USC ended the season having extended its streaks for wins in a Pac-10 record 27 consecutive home games, a Pac-10-record 23 straight overall Pac-10 games, a Pac-10 record 19 consecutive league home games and a school-record 15 road games in a row. The Trojans swept rivals Notre Dame and UCLA for an unprecedented fourth season in a row.

Troy's offense was in the national Top 6 in every statistical category, including tops in total offense (579.8) and second in scoring offense (49.7), and set Pac-10 records for total offense yardage, points scored, touchdowns and PATs. The Trojans won games by an average of 26.2 points. USC became the first school to have a 3,000-yard passer (Leinart), a pair of 1,000-yard runners (Bush and fellow tailback LenDale White) and a 1,000-yard receiver (wide receiver Dwayne Jarrett) in a season. And USC was second nationally in turnover margin (+1.6). For the second year in a row, USC set Pac-10 records for total home attendance and home attendance average and school marks for overall attendance and overall attendance average. The Trojans also set school standards for the second straight year for home sellouts (4), regular season sellouts (9) and season sellouts (10).

For the second consecutive year, a school-record 6 Trojans were All-American first teamers (Bush, Leinart, Jarrett, offensive linemen Taitusi Lutui and Sam Baker and safety Darnell Bing, with Bush winning USC's third Heisman in 4 years).

But for a stunning 13-9 end-of-the-regular-season upset loss at UCLA, USC would have returned to the BCS Championship Game in 2006 for the third year in a row. The Bruin loss ended USC's NCAA record string of 63 consecutive games scoring 20 points. As it was, the Trojans--playing the nation's second most difficult schedule--ended up 11-2 on the year, beating No. 3 Michigan in the Rose Bowl, 32-18, and finishing fourth in the final polls. A fifth straight win over Notre Dame was included in the tally. Troy went 7-2 in the Pac-10 to claim an unprecedented fifth consecutive league title to go along with its fifth straight AP Top 4 finish, BCS bowl trip and 11-win season.

As 2006 concluded, the Trojans extended their Pac-10 record winning streaks for home games (33) and league home games (23), and they were ranked in the AP Top 10 for a school-record 56 games.

Jarrett set the Pac-10 record for career touchdown receptions (41) and the USC all-time mark for receptions (216). He and fellow wide receiver Steve Smith each had 1,000 receiving yards. The Trojan defense was in the national Top 25 in every statistical category, as was the other side of the ball in passing, scoring and total offense. But for the first time in the Carroll era, USC's turnover margin slipped from the previous year.

For the fourth season in a row, USC broke the Pac-10 mark for home average attendance (91,480) and home total attendance, while it set school records for the third consecutive year for home sellouts (6), regular season sellouts (10) and season sellouts (11).

Five Trojans were All-American first teamers: Jarrett, Baker, Smith, center Ryan Kalil and defensive tackle Sedrick Ellis. Kalil and Ellis each won the Pac-10's Morris Trophy. Tragedy, however, struck a week after the Rose Bowl win when placekicker Mario Danelo was found dead at the base of a cliff in his hometown of nearby San Pedro.

In an injury-riddled 2007 season, USC posted its sixth consecutive 11-win season (an NCAA record as Troy was 11-2 overall), captured its sixth

straight Pac-10 title (extending its league record as it went 7-2), went to its sixth BCS bowl in a row (an NCAA record) and finished in the AP Top 4 (it was third in AP and second in the USA Today poll) for the sixth straight year.

The Trojans smashed Illinois in the Rose Bowl and likely would have played in the BCS Championship Game but for a stunning midseason home upset by 41-point underdog Stanford that snapped Troy's 35-game home winning streak and 24-game Pac-10 home game winning string [both league marks]. USC held the AP No. 1 ranking for the season's first 4 games. Troy swept traditional rivals UCLA (giving Carroll his 75th Trojan victory) and Notre Dame.

USC's defense was in the top 6 nationally in total, scoring, rushing and pass efficiency defense (second in the first 2). Troy broke the school record for overall attendance and overall average attendance in 2007.

Five Trojans-offensive tackle Sam Baker, defensive tackle Sedrick Ellis, tight end Fred Davis, linebacker Keith Rivers and safety Taylor Mays--were named All-American first teamers. Baker became USC's third-ever 3-time All-American, while Ellis was an All-American for the second year in a row and was named the Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year and Davis won the 2007 Mackey Award as the nation's top tight end while setting school career and season tight end receiving records.

USC continued its amazing run in 2008, for the seventh straight year winning a Pac-10 title (with an 8-1 record), going to a BCS bowl (beating Penn State in the Rose Bowl), winning at least 11 games (12-1 overall) and finishing in the AP Top 4 (third). Troy, which posted a big early-season home win over No. 5 Ohio State and also beat rivals Notre Dame (for the seventh straight year) and UCLA, ended the year in the AP Top 25 for a school-record 91 games.

USC led the nation in scoring defense, pass efficiency defense and pass defense, was second in total defense and fifth in rushing defense and was in the Top 20 in total offense, 14th in scoring offense and 20th in rushing offense.

Mays (for the second year in a row) and linebackers Rey Maualuga (who won the Bednarik Award and was the Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year) and Brian Cushing were named All-Americans. Quarterback Mark Sanchez set the USC season record for passing efficiency.

The 2009 season not only saw the end of USC's amazing run in the first decade of the 21st century, but after the season Carroll left to become the head coach of the NFL's Seattle Seahawks. For the first time since 2001, the Trojans failed to win at least 11 games (they were 9-4), capture the Pac-10 title (they went 5-4 to finish tied for fifth), go to a BCS bowl (they beat Boston College in the Emerald Bowl) and finish in the AP Top 4 (they were 22nd).

USC did beat 3 of the 4 ranked teams it played (Ohio State, California and Notre Dame, all on the road) and swept rivals Notre Dame and UCLA. But the Trojans also suffered the worst loss in the Carroll era and his only blemish in 30 November contests (a 34-point Homecoming thumping by Stanford, allowing a school-record 55 points), and there was also a 27-point Halloween night defeat at Oregon.

The young (true freshman Matt Barkley started all season at quarterback), rebuilding, injury-plagued Trojans did finish in the nation's Top 25 in scoring defense and pass efficiency defense. Mays earned All-American first team honors for the third consecutive year and offensive tackle Charles Brown joined him as an All-American first teamer.

Carroll's 9 years at USC were perhaps the most successful in school history. He won 83.6% of his games (97-19, although 14 of those wins were later vacated due to an NCAA penalty), led USC to a pair of national championships, posted 35 wins over AP Top 25 teams, had a 7-2 bowl record and went 16-2 against Notre Dame and UCLA. During his time, his teams had Pac-10-record winning streaks for home (35), overall (34) and league (27) games. They also scored at least 20 points in 63 consecutive games, were AP's No. 1 team for 33 straight polls and were ranked in the AP Top 25 for 102 games in a row (including 63 consecutive in the Top 10). He produced 3 Heisman winners, 35 All-American first teamers and 60 NFL draft picks (including 14 first rounders).

A familiar face replaced Carroll as head coach: Lane Kiffin. Kiffin was part of much Trojan glory while serving as an assistant at USC during Carroll's first 6 years. He then became the head coach of the NFL's Oakland Raiders and at Tennessee.

Kiffin's first team in 2010 went 8-5 overall (2 of the losses were on field goals at the gun in consecutive games and another came on a touchdown with 2:23 to play). Only Howard Jones in 1925 and John Robinson in 1976 won more games in their Trojan coaching debut. Kiffin became the first USC coach since Jess Hill in 1951 to begin his Trojan career with a 4-0 mark.

The 2010 Trojans were ineligible for post-season play because of an NCAA penalty from the Carroll era and were short on personnel because of players who transferred once the penalty was announced. Offensive tackle Tyron Smith won the Pac-10's Morris Trophy and wide receiver Robert Woods was the Pac-10 Offensive Freshman of the Year (and a Freshman All-American first teamer).

In 2011, USC (in its second year of a post-season ban) showed steady improvement as it went 10-2 with a No. 6 AP ranking and finished first in the Pac-12 South Division at 7-2. Troy beat both representatives in the Pac-12

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Championship Game, Oregon (on the road) and UCLA (50-0), and it also won at Notre Dame.

USC featured a 3,500-yard passer (Matt Barkley), a pair of 1,000-yard receivers (Woods and Marqise Lee) and a 1,000-yard rusher (Curtis McNeal). USC held 8 of its 12 opponents to 17 points or less. The 2011 Trojans had 3 All-American first teamers (Woods, Matt Kalil, T.J. McDonald), 7 All-Pac-12 first teamers, the Pac-12 Morris Trophy winner (Kalil), the Pac-12 Freshmen Offensive and Defensive Players of the Year (Lee and Dion Bailey) and 5 Freshman All-American first teamers, plus finalists for the Biletnikoff (Woods), Hendricks (Nick Perry) and Manning (Barkley) Awards.

Barkley set the Pac-12 season record for TD passes and the USC season mark for pass completion percentage, as well as school game standards for completions, pass yardage, passing TDs and total offense. Woods set the Pac-12 season receptions record and USC game receptions mark, while Woods and Lee combined for more receptions and receiving yardage in a season than any other Trojan duo. Bailey and Hayes Pullard were the first Trojan freshmen to lead the team in tackles.

USC entered the 2012 season ranked No. 1 by AP and started off 6-1 before finishing with a 7-6 overall mark and playing in the Sun Bowl. The Trojans became the first AP pre-season No. 1 team ever to end up with 6 losses and the first to finish unranked since 1964.

In 2012, unanimous All-American first teamer Lee won the Biletnikoff Award and was the Pac-12 Offensive Player of the Year as he set 20 USC records, including Pac-12 season marks for receptions (118) and receiving yards (1,721). Barkley became the Pac-12 recordholder for passing yards (12,327), completions (1,001), touchdowns (116) and total offense (12,214) as he won the Wuerffel Trophy and was a National Football Foundation National Scholar-Athlete. Woods set the USC career receptions record (252), Khaled Holmes was an All-Pac-12 first teamer and Leonard Williams was the Pac-12 Defensive Freshman of the Year (and a Freshman All-American first teamer along with Max Tuerk).

The 2013 season was among the most unique in USC history, as the Trojans had 4 coaches in a span of 65 days. After Lane Kiffin was fired 5 games into the season, defensive line coach Ed Orgeron took over as interim head coach and went 6-2 (with a 5-game winning streak, including a win over No. 5 Stanford in which the Coliseum fans rushed the field for the first time in recent memory). Orgeron then resigned when Steve Sarkisian was named head coach following the end of the regular season. Offensive coordinator Clay Helton served as the interim head coach for the Las Vegas Bowl (a victory over No. 21 Fresno State). Despite all this, USC went 10-4 and finished with a No. 19 national ranking.

Defensive end Leonard Williams was an All-American first teamer, outside linebacker Devon Kennard was a finalist for the Lott IMPACT Trophy and safety Su'a Cravens was a Freshman All-American first teamer. Wide receiver Marqise Lee became USC's career leader in receiving yards and fellow wideout Nelson Agholor finished second in the nation in punt returns (he tied a Pac-12 record with 2 scoring punt returns at California and the Trojans had an NCAA record-tying 3 in the game).

Sarkisian got off to a nice debut in 2014, going 9-4 overall (the most wins by a first-year USC coach since 1976), including victories at No. 10 Arizona and No. 13 Stanford and versus No. 25 Nebraska in Troy's first-ever visit to the Holiday Bowl. He became just the third USC head coach to win his debut against Notre Dame. Three of USC's losses in 2014 were by a total of 13 points, with two coming on the opponents' final play of the game. The Trojans never were able to suit up more than 57 recruited scholarship players for a game because of NCAA sanctions-mandated limits, injuries, roster departures and ineligibilities, and 11 true freshmen played significant roles (8 started).

Leonard Williams and Nelson Agholor were All-American first teamers, Su'a Cravens was a Sophomore All-American first teamer and there were 4 Freshmen All-American first teamers (Adoree' Jackson, Toa Lobendahn, JuJu Smith and Viane Talamaivao). Cody Kessler had the most efficient passing season in USC history (69.7% completions, 39 TDs, 5 interceptions), Agholor had 104 receptions and Javorius Allen rushed for 1,489 yards. USC's offense was in the national Top 25 in passing efficiency, passing offense, third down conversions and scoring offense, while the defense was in the Top 20 in turnover margin, red zone defense and third down conversion defense.

USC survived a tumultuous 2015 campaign that saw Sarkisian get fired after the fifth game because his "conduct did not meet USC's standards and expectations of a head coach." Helton took over again as interim head coach and led Troy to the Pac-12 South Division co-championship with a 6-3 division mark (including wins over No. 3 Utah and No. 22 UCLA) and berths into the Pac-12 Championship Game and Holiday Bowl. At the end of the regular season, Helton was named USC's permanent head coach.

USC, which went 8-6 overall in 2015, was led by All-Pac-12 first teamers Su'a Cravens, JuJu Smith-Schuster, Adoree' Jackson, Antwaun Woods and Zach Banner. Cameron Smith and Iman Marshall were Freshmen All-American first teamers (Smith was the Pac-12 Defensive Freshman of the Year), while Ronald Jones II set the USC freshman season rushing mark (987 yards). Cody Kessler set school career marks for completion percentage

(67.5%) and interception rate (1.51%).

Helton's first full season as head coach, in 2016, got off to a slow start but finished with a bang. After his Trojans started off 1-3 (all 3 losses were to AP Top 25 teams away from home), USC went on a 9-game winning streak (its longest since 2008-09) to go 10-3 overall and rise to a final No. 3 national AP ranking (USC's highest since 2008 and the highest ever of any 3-loss team) and earn a berth in the Rose Bowl (finishing second in the Pac-12 South at 7-2) while playing a schedule ranked among the 10 most difficult in the nation. Troy capped the season with an instant classic 52-49 at-the-gun victory over No. 5 Penn State in the Rose Bowl. USC posted wins over UCLA and Notre Dame and in the Rose Bowl, just the 13th season that has happened in Trojan history. USC was perfect (6-0) at home for the first time since 2008 and undefeated in the greater Los Angeles area (8-0). His Trojans beat both teams (No. 4 Washington and No. 21 Colorado) that played in the Pac-12 Championship Game. USC's offense had at least 400 total yards in its last 10 games, while its defense held 7 opponents to season lows in points.

Adoree' Jackson was named the 2016 Thorpe Award winner, a consensus All-American first teamer, the Pac-12 Defensive Player of the Year and a finalist for the Hornung Award and Lott IMPACT Trophy. Sam Darnold was a Manning Award finalist and a Freshman All-American first teamer and both Zach Banner and Chad Wheeler were All-American first team and All-Pac-12 first team picks.

Helton's 2017 Trojans--USC's 125th team--won the program's first Pac-12 title since 2008 when it defeated Stanford (for the second time that season) in the Pac-12 Championship Game (the first South Division team to win that contest). Helton became the first USC head coach to have 10-win seasons in each of his first 2 full seasons and he notched more wins (21) in his first 2 full seasons than any USC coach. USC went 11-3 overall (8-1 in league play) for its first back-to-back 10-win seasons since 2007-08 and earned a berth in the Cotton Bowl in 2017, finishing 12th in the final AP poll. Troy played all 12 regular season games without a bye.

Ronald Jones II and Uchenna Nwosu were All-American first teamers (Jones had his second straight 1,000-yard rushing season), Sam Darnold was a finalist for the Manning Award (he set USC's season passing yardage and total yardage records) and Rasheem Green, Cameron Smith, Marvell Tell III and Michael Pittman Jr. joined that trio on the All-Pac-12 first team, while wide receiver Deontay Burnett had 1,000 receiving yards.

The 2018 Trojans--which featured young players in key positions--were 5-7 overall, with the last 4 losses all by 7 points or less, and went 4-5 in Pac-12 play. JT Daniels, who threw for 2,672 yards for USC just a season after graduating high school a year early, was just the second Trojan true freshman to start a season opener at quarterback. Wide receiver Amon-Ra St. Brown was just the fourth USC true freshman to lead the Trojans in season receptions (60). Defensive lineman Jay Tufele was a Freshman All-American first teamer. Inside linebacker Cameron Smith was the first Trojan in nearly 40 years to lead the team in tackles in 3 consecutive years. Iman Marshall was USC's first four-year starting cornerback in 20 years.

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So, as the latest era is under way, prospects appear bright for the continued success of the USC program. After all, there's nothing like Trojan football.





Individual Performances

200-yard rushing game

By a Trojan: 205 yards, Aca'Cedric Ware, vs. Oregon State, 2018
By an opponent: 289 yards, Joshua Kelley, UCLA, 2018

3 rushing TDs in a game

By a Trojan: 3, Aca'Cedric Ware, vs. Oregon State, 2018
By an opponent: 3, Josh Adams, Notre Dame, 2017

2 players rushed for 100 yards each in a game

By Trojans: Aca'Cedric Ware (205) and Vavae Malepeai (101), vs. Oregon State, 2018
By opponents: Josh Adams (181 yards) and Brandon Wimbush (106), Notre Dame, 2017

25-plus rushing attempts

By a Trojan: 30, Ronald Jones II, vs. Stanford (Pac-12 Championship Game), 2017
By an opponent: 40, Joshua Kelley, UCLA, 2018

300-yard passing game

By a Trojan: 349 yards, JT Daniels, vs. Notre Dame, 2018
By an opponent: 352 yards, Ian Book, Notre Dame, 2018

3 passing TDs in a game

By a Trojan: 3, JT Daniels, vs. Colorado, 2018
By an opponent: 4, Tyler Huntley, Utah, 2018

30-plus pass completions in a game

By a Trojan: 37, JT Daniels, vs. Notre Dame, 2018
By an opponent: 31, Jake Luton, Oregon State, 2018

50-plus pass attempts in a game

By a Trojan: 51, JT Daniels, vs. Notre Dame, 2018
By an opponent: 52, Gardner Minshew, Washington State, 2018

3 passes had intercepted in a game

By a Trojan: 3, Max Wittek, vs. Georgia Tech (Sun Bowl), 2012
By an opponent: 4, Ross Bowers, California, 2017

Pass completion of 75-plus-yards

By a Trojan: 83 yards, Cody Kessler to Adoree' Jackson, vs. Notre Dame, 2015
By an opponent: 79 yards, Steven Montez to Juwann Winfree, Colorado, 2017

10-plus receptions in a game

By a Trojan: 12, Tyler Vaughns, and Amon-Ra St. Brown (10), vs. Notre Dame, 2018
By an opponent: 10, Trevon Bradford, Oregon State, 2018

150-yard receiving game

By a Trojan: 155 yards, Michael Pittman Jr., vs. Colorado, 2018
By an opponent: 204 yards, Jordan Lasley, UCLA, 2017

3 receiving TDs in a game

By a Trojan: 3, Deontay Burnet, vs. Penn State (Rose Bowl), 2016
By an opponent: 3, Jordan Lasley, UCLA, 2017

60-plus-yard punt

By a Trojan: 62 yards, Reid Budrovich, vs. Arizona, 2017
By an opponent: 67 yards, Oscar Draguicevich, Washington State, 2017

3 field goals in a game

By a Trojan: 5, Chase McGrath, vs. UNLV, 2018
By an opponent: 3, Cameron Dicker, Texas, 2018

50-plus-yard field goal

By a Trojan: 51 yards, Chase McGrath, vs. Arizona State, 2017
By an opponent: 50 yards, Blake Mazza, Washington State, 2018

Missed PAT kick

By a Trojan: Chase McGrath, vs. Colorado, 2017 (missed wide left)
By an opponent: Lucas Havrisik, Arizona, 2018 (missed wide right)

3 interceptions in a game

By a Trojan: 3, Cameron Smith, vs. Utah, 2015
By an opponent: 3, Steve Smith, Oregon, 2001

Interception return for a TD

By a Trojan: 6 yards, Ajene Harris, vs. Colorado, 2018
By an opponent: 23 yards, Damon Webb, Ohio State (Cotton Bowl), 2017

Punt return for a TD (not blocked)

By a Trojan: 82 yards, Tyler Vaughns, vs. Arizona State, 2018
By an opponent: 92 yards, N'Keal Harry, Arizona State, 2018

Kickoff return for a TD

By a Trojan: 97 yards, Adoree' Jackson, vs. Notre Dame, 2016
By an opponent: 100 yards, Darius Phillips, Western Michigan, 2017

Blocked punt returned for a TD

By a Trojan: 5 yards, Devon Williams, vs. UCLA, 2018 (punt blocked by Jake Russell). Also, Torin Harris returned a blocked field goal 68 yards for a TD vs. Utah in 2011
By an opponent: 5 yards, Amir Carlisle, Notre Dame, 2015 (punt blocked by Equanimeous St. Brown)

Safety

By a Trojan: Team, vs. Washington, 2016 (Jake Browning falls in endzone)
By an opponent: California, 2018 (JT Daniels recovered Aca'Cedric Ware's fumble in end zone by Mustafa Jali)

Team Performances

Shutout

By USC: 50-0, vs. UCLA, 2011
By an opponent: 27-0, Washington, 1997

Tie

21-21, vs. Washington, 1995

Scoreless Tie

0-0, vs. Washington, 1961

Scored in all 4 quarters of regulation

By USC: vs. Oregon State (7-14-7-10), 2018
By an opponent: Arizona State (14-10-7-7), 2018

Back-to-back shutouts

By USC: 28-0 vs. Arizona State and 69-0 vs. Washington State, 2008
By an opponent: 21-0 by Ohio State and 6-0 by Oregon State, 1946

50-plus points scored in a game

By USC: 52 points, vs. Penn State (Rose Bowl), 2016
By an opponent: 52 points, Alabama, 2016



ATHLETIC DIRECTOR LYNN SWANN



Lynn Swann, a legendary Hall of Fame wide receiver with USC and the Pittsburgh Steelers who then made a mark in the worlds of broadcasting, politics, corporate governance, civic engagement and philanthropy, was named USC's eighth athletic director on April 13, 2016, effective July 1.

He succeeded Pat Haden, who retired as athletic director.

In 2016-17 his first year on the job, he saw the football team win the Rose Bowl (while also defeating traditional rivals UCLA and Notre Dame), the women's soccer and beach volleyball teams win

NCAA championships (and 11 other teams finish in the NCAA Top 10), the men's basketball team defeat highly-ranked crosstown foe UCLA, USC finish fourth in the Directors' Cup and second in the Women's Capital One Cup and Trojan athletes win 21 medals (9 golds) at the Rio Olympics.

USC won NCAA crowns in both women's water polo and women's track and field in Swann's second year (2017-18), while 9 other teams placed in the NCAA Top 10 and football won the Pac-12 title. Trojan student-athletes won 12 NCAA individual or relay NCAA championships. Troy was fourth in the Director's Cup and the athletic department posted its highest-ever NCAA Academic Progress Rate.

In 2018-19 in his third year as athletic director, USC's men's water polo won the NCAA championship and 10 other teams had Top 10 NCAA finishes. USC was fifth in the Director's Cup, the Women of Troy were sixth in the Capital One Cup and Troy won the Crosstown Cup over UCLA. USC's Academic Progress Rate was the school's best ever and its Graduation Success Rate equaled its all-time high.

Well known both within the Trojan Family and globally, the 67-year-old Swann drew on his football success to distinguish himself as an acclaimed leader in both the civic and corporate spheres. He also is a charismatic motivational speaker who has addressed a wide range of audiences across the country, offering an inspiring voice on the importance of assuming responsibility, strong leadership, and maximizing opportunities. As a respected philanthropist, Swann has raised money for a variety of charitable and community organizations, including to provide scholarships for the Pittsburgh Ballet.

Swann served 2 years (1993-95) as chairman of the national board of Big Brothers Big Sisters of America, an organization with which he was active for more than 30 years. As chairman, he managed more than 400 agencies across the United States and helped establish the organization as the premier mentoring group in the nation.

President George W. Bush appointed Swann as the Chairman of the President's Council on Fitness, Sports and Nutrition, where he served from 2002 to 2005.

In 2006, Swann was the Republican nominee for Pennsylvania governor, running a campaign that drew significant praise for its organization and focus as he attempted to become the first African-American governor in that state's history. He captured 40 percent of the vote against Democratic incumbent Ed Rendell.

He further sharpened his governance experience in the boardroom as a director of such international companies as The H. J. Heinz Company, Wyndham Hotels and Resorts, and Hershey Entertainment and Resorts, as well as on the board of the non-profit PGA of America. He currently only serves on the Fluor Corporation Board. He was named to Savoy magazine's 2016 list of the 300 Most Influential Black Corporate Directors.

He was part of the ownership group of the Pittsburgh Power of the Arena Football League from 2011 to 2014. The Power went 15-3 in 2014 and earned its first playoff berth.

Swann worked for ABC from 1976 to 2006, serving as a host, reporter, and analyst for a wide range of events, including college football (he covered a number of USC games), Monday Night Football and the USFL. He also worked on the 1984 Summer Olympics, the 1980 and 1988 Winter Olympics, the Triple Crown (Kentucky Derby, Preakness Stakes, Belmont Stakes), the Irish Derby, the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race, the International Diving Championships, Wide World of Sports and The American Sportsman. In 2008, he was the sideline reporter for CBS' Clash of Champions bowling telecast (he was inducted into the International Bowling Hall of Fame in 2009).

He also hosted TV game show To Tell The Truth in 1990 and 1991, made a cameo appearance on Mister Rogers' Neighborhood and appeared in the movie The Waterboy.

As a wide receiver, Swann was known for his extraordinary coordination, quickness, fluidity, leaping ability, physical precision, gracefulness and balance. He credits those attributes to his involvement with dance dating to the fourth grade when his mother enrolled him in a dance class.

He was the Steelers' first round selection in the 1974 NFL Draft and spent his entire 9-year (1974-82) NFL career in Pittsburgh. He played in Super Bowls IX, X, XIII and XIV (the Steelers won all of them). He was MVP of Super Bowl X (the first wide receiver so honored), catching 4 passes for a Super Bowl-record 161 yards (his 64-yard TD grab late in the fourth quarter provided the game's decisive points).

Appearing in 116 regular season games in his NFL career (with 96 starts), he had 336 receptions for 5,462 yards (16.3 average) and 51 TDs, along with 61 punt returns for 739 yards (12.1 average) and a TD. In 16 career playoff games, he added another 48 grabs for 907 yards (18.9 average) with 9 TDs and 12 punt returns for 92 yards (7.7 average). He led the NFL in receiving touchdowns in 1975 (11) and in punt return yardage as a rookie in 1974 (577). He made All-Pro first team and the Pro Bowl 3 times (1975, 1977 and 1978).

He was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 2001. He was the NFL's 1981 Walter Payton Man of the Year. He was named to the Pro Football Hall of Fame All-1970's first team and in 2016 he was named to the Super Bowl 50 Golden Team by the Pro Football Hall of Fame Board of Selectors. He was named to the Pittsburgh Steelers' inaugural Hall of Honor class in 2017.

A 3-year (1971-73) letterman at USC, he was a 1973 consensus All-American first teamer and was a member of the Trojans' 1972 undefeated national championship team. He played in the 1973 and 1974 Rose Bowls, catching a touchdown in the 1973 game. In 1973, he was USC's MVP and team co-captain while earning All-Pac-8 first team honors and the Pop Warner Award (as the Pacific Coast's most valuable senior). After his senior campaign, he was selected to play in the 1974 Hula Bowl, Senior Bowl, College All-Star Game and Coaches All-America Game.

He had 95 catches in his USC career for 1,562 yards (16.4 average) with 11 TDs. He also returned 49 punts for 599 yards (12.2 average) with 2 scores (the yardage ranks fourth on the USC career chart) and he rushed for 200 yards on 26 carries (7.7 average). He led the Trojans in receiving in 1971 (27 catches) and 1973 (a Pac-8 best 42 receptions) and was USC's leading punt returner all 3 of his seasons (157 yards in 1971, a Pac-8 high 253 yards in 1972 and 189 yards in 1973).

He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame and the Senior Bowl Hall of Fame in 1993, the USC Athletic Hall of Fame in 2005 and the Rose Bowl Hall of Fame in 2013. He received the NCAA Silver Anniversary Award in 1999.

He received the Walter Camp Football Foundation Man of the Year Award in 1997, then in 2000 he was presented with the Pop Warner Little Scholars Tomlin Award and the Pittsburgh YMCA Man of the Year Award.

He earned his bachelor's degree in public relations from USC in 1974. He later returned to USC to take graduate-level courses in broadcast production along with outside instruction in writing, speech and acting.

Swann was born on March 7, 1952, in Alcoa, Tenn., but moved when he was 2 to San Mateo, Calif.

He starred in football and track at San Mateo's Junipero Serra High. He earned prep All-American honors in football and won the 1970 CIF California state long jump title, defeating future Olympic gold medalist (and fellow Trojan) Randy Williams. In 2002, he was inducted into the Bay Area Hall of Fame.

Swann and his wife, Dr. Charena Swann, have 2 sons, Braxton (a senior at USC in the Marshall School of Business) and Shafer (a cadet at West Point).

USC Athletic Directors

Willis O. Hunter*	1925-57
Jess Hill*	1957-72
John McKay	1972-75
Richard Perry*	1975-84
Mike McGee*	1984-93
Mike Garrett	1993-2010
Pat Haden	2010-2016
Lynn Swann	2016-

*Member of National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics Hall of Fame

Note: Records are unclear prior to Hunter's tenure. One reference source listed William Clay as "athletic manager" in 1909 and cited him as USC's first A.D. Another source listed Elmer Henderson as football coach and athletic director from 1919 to 1924. Still another source said "graduate managers" were akin to athletic directors and listed Warren Bovard, Henry Bruce, Gwynn Wilson (1921-30) and Arnold Eddy (1930 and on) in that role (that source also claimed Eddy was athletic director in 1941-44).

